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## NEWS-DEMOCRAT PLAYS HOB WITH DEMONSTRATION

Injected Politics Into Meeting Says Hon. Charles K. Wheeler.

George Emery's Enemies Are There in Force.

HE DEFENDS THE ASSESSMENT.

"If it had not been for that article in the News-Democrat attempting to make political capital out of this meeting we would have ten times as many people here tonight," said Mr. Charles K. Wheeler in his speech at the meeting last night in the police court room.

About 125 citizens attended the meeting and two petitions addressed to the general council, asking that a committee of three disinterested citizens be appointed to revise the work of the block map commission and that George Emery be removed as a member of the board of supervisors because of his membership on the block map commission, were signed by 46 citizens. The petitions will be placed before the members of the general council by a committee consisting of James M. Lutz, W. E. Cochran and W. P. Hummel.

**Some Anecdotal Episodes.**  
The meeting was amusing. A reporter for the Evening Sun was asked to write an article on the meeting and declared that it would be only fair if there was a reporter for the News-Democrat present, to check him against the facts. A reporter for the News-Democrat, who had been a few minutes while waiting for the meeting to start, said that if there was one present at the time, modesty forbade a fulfillment of the condition.

All George Emery's personal enemies were there, and they mixed it up with George from every angle, while he sat back in a style to make the contest interesting from start to finish. Neither did he hesitate to explain why some people were protesting against the new assessment, calling them by name and giving figures. This precipitated many by arguments not exactly germane to the subject, but diverting while they lasted. Emery said that more valuation were reduced than increased, and asserted that there would be few complaints, outside those, who herebefore have been complaining their fair share of the burden. Most people, he said, would have less taxes to pay, while the evening up process would give the city larger revenues.

Mr. L. S. Duffels was chosen as chairman, and presided over the meeting. He stated that the meeting was not a matter of politics, but was only a meeting of property owners to see that their property was assessed at a fair value for the next four years. Mr. W. E. Cochran said the purpose of the meeting was not to hear any ill will towards the city administration, but that it was a meeting to obtain a fair assessment of the city, and if the block map commission had made any errors in the assessments for a correction of the figures before the final adoption of the assessment for the next four years.

Mr. Wheeler was the chief speaker of the evening, and he said that he had become interested because of the large number of complaints of overassessment that he had heard. "For days men have been running to me and wanting to know what to do about the high assessment of their property. Yet the very men who have been the most active are not here tonight. The worst of it is the effort of one of the newspapers to give it a political aspect, and it has received a lot."

The block map system was commended by Mr. Wheeler, but he protested against Mr. Emery or any other man who was a member of the block map commission to sit upon the board of supervisors as a judge of his work. He explained the law regarding the fair cash value of property as the amount that an owner could obtain for his goods or property on any day, and that the assessment should not be over 70 per cent of that amount. Mr. Wheeler said that it was not to Mr. Emery that the objections were made, and he did not object if Mr. Emery were present with the board of supervisors to give information, but he did object to seeing a member of the board with a vote to accept his own work.

In defense of his position, Mr. George Emery was present and stated that he had not accepted the position, and it was not his desire to force himself upon the board. He explained that it was regarded by Mayor Smith and others that some member of the commission be a

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## Moissant, Who Flew From France to England and Circled the Statue of Liberty, Falls to His Death Today

Soldier of Fortune, Who Career Reads Like Romance and Most Daring Aviator is Killed at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Dec. 31.—John B. Moissant, the aviator, was killed today, when his Blériot monoplane fell 100 feet, at Harahan, ten miles from New Orleans. He was competing in the Michelin \$1,000 trophy contest, the same award offered in France. He had encircled the field three times, when the machine became unmanageable. A strap, holding the aviator in the car broke, when the machine capsize. Moissant died almost immediately.

He defeated Graham-White for the Bennett Cup and \$10,000 in a flight around the statue of Liberty last summer. His first fame as an aviator came when he flew from Paris to London, with a mechanic and a kitten as passengers.

In Nicaragua and Salvador he bore a reputation as a soldier of fortune, little less than legendary. He was 26 years old and single. It was announced this afternoon that Moissant's body will be taken to Chicago for burial. John Moissant and two brothers went to Salvador, where they gained possession of an undeveloped coffee plantation. Later they established a gum factory and a sugar plantation, winning a fortune. In 1907 Moissant headed an expedition financed by President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, to conquer Salvador. Fifty ex-soldiers formed his army and they deserted when Moissant planned an attack on Salvadoran soldiers. For this expedition, Moissant's property in Salvador was confiscated.

**Cook Thanks Danish People.**  
New York, Dec. 31.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the traveler, in an interview today in the "Nordiskt," a local Danish paper, sends a message of thanks to the Danish people for his reception on his arrival from the north in 1909. The message which has been cabled to the leading papers in Copenhagen, is in part as follows:

"In response to the offer of the 'Nordiskt' I take this opportunity to thank the Danish people for their uniform patience and loyalty to my interests. I have been deprived of much, but the sweetness of Danish hospitality will always remain to nurse the spark of ambition."

**Causes Small Fire.**  
The gasoline lighting system at the saloon of Lou Alenborg on South Second street caused in a small fire this morning. The blaze was extinguished without loss by two firemen from the Central station.

**BEAT HIS WIFE THEN COMMITTED SUICIDE.**  
Richmond, Va., Dec. 31.—Lewis Cole, of Richmond, because his wife beat him for divorce, today beat the woman senseless then shot himself, dying instantly. The woman with recovery.

**Packers' Hearing.**  
Chicago, Dec. 31.—The packers' hearing to prevent the dismissal of civil action against them was postponed until today, until Tuesday, owing to the illness of Judge Kohlman.

## Record of Disasters During Year of 1910

Chicago, Dec. 31.—The Chicago Tribune today prints a compilation of disasters, fires, railroad fatalities, suicides, and benefactions during the last 12 months. It shows that Americans made public gifts amounting to \$111,694,538 during the year. Andrew Carnegie donated \$12,644,225. Rockefeller \$16,039,099; Mrs. Russell Sage \$3,888,150 and J. P. Morgan \$1,944,000.

Total suicides were 12,608 against 10,230 last year.

Among the fatalities drowning, 5,112; fires, 3,542; in mines, 1,604; in storms, 265; explosions, 351; electrical, 189; lightning, 190; asphyxiation, 239; elevators, 122; automobiles, 920.

Property loss by fire in the United States and Canada, \$222,000,000.

## THE WEATHER

The predictions for tomorrow and temperature for the past twenty-four hours will be found at the top of the seventh column on page four.

**AT GALVESTON.**  
Galveston, Texas, Dec. 31.—Exports through this port for the year ending today totaled \$202,691,430. Of this amount \$187,000,000 represents the value of 2,438,401 bales of cotton.

## MINERS KILLED WHEN SLATE FALLS

TWO AMERICANS AND SIX FOREIGNERS MEET THEIR DEATHS.

Matteawan, W. Va., Dec. 31.—Two Americans and six Italians were killed today by a fall of slate in the Lick Ford mine. A loaded mine car was derailed, starting the fall of slate.

**Strikes Open Salted.**  
Panama, Ill., Dec. 31.—Engineer Frank Squibb, of Villa Grove, Ill., was fatally injured today when a fast Chicago and Eastern Illinois passenger train struck an open switch and plowed through a train of 12 freight cars.

**One Killed in Wreck.**  
San Antonio, Dec. 31.—One passenger, James A. Hall, of Kansas City, was killed, 5 persons were seriously injured and a score of others bruised when a San Antonio and Arkansas passenger train was wrecked at Palfus, 75 miles south of here, late today.

**FOR BLIND CHILDREN.**  
Prepare Raised-Letter Magazine for Afflicted Little Folks.

New York, Dec. 31.—Little folks of New York who are blind are going to have their own magazine. On New Year's Day a raised letter magazine will gladden the hearts and delight many a little sightless one. And all this just because one blind child wrote a letter to the New York Association for the Blind, saying he could read now and wished very much he had a paper all "our own."

**BURGLAR ALARM GOES OFF; BUT NO ONE FOUND**

For the tenth time in the last few weeks, Mr. E. H. Harbour was awakened at 12:50 o'clock this morning by his burglar alarm and notified the police. Sergeant Lige Cross and Patrolmen Heavers, Smith, Scott and Odio went to the scene but the prowler, who had tried to force in the back window, had escaped. Attempts to break into the rear window of his store, 116 North Third street, have been almost a nightly occurrence, but last night was the first time Mr. Harbour called the police. Each time he was awakened by the alarm at the side of his bed he went to investigate, but never has succeeded in catching the burglar.

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**TO RECOGNIZE ESTRADA.**  
U. S. Wants for Nicaragua Constitutional Convention.

Washington, Dec. 31.—As soon as the constitutional convention of Nicaragua, which meets at Nicaragua tomorrow, will demonstrate by a decisive vote that it is in favor of Estrada for president, the United States will recognize the present government of that republic. The general belief continues to be that Estrada will be elected president for two years, at the expiration of which time a general election will be held.

## BANK DIVIDENDS DECLARED TODAY; CLEARINGS GOOD

Semi-Annuals Show Local Institutions Are in Good Condition.

Richard Rudy Vice-President of Citizens.

YEAR HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL

Clearings this week \$531,449.

With the close of the year in business, the year 1910 has been good in business with a steady increase in trade. The year has been characterized by a steady trade rather than a flurry, and it is with the best of confidence that the business men of Paducah face 1911.

The year has been one of remarkable development in Paducah and in building. Two handsome banks have been erected in the business district, while several business houses have been remodeled, and the business district is given a metropolitan air. Other substantial and handsome buildings have been erected during the year, including the hills apartments.

**Declare Dividends.**  
Paducah banks today closed one of the most prosperous six months in their history, and the dividend disbursements will be made the first of the month.

The City National bank declared its usual six per cent dividend; the Citizens Savings bank its usual 5 per cent; the First National declared an eight per cent dividend for the year, and the Paducah Banking company disbursed a 2 per cent dividend. The Mechanics' and Farmers' raised its dividend from 2 1/2 to 3 per cent.

The statements of the banks will show lower deposits than they had the last of June, but that is to be charged to the non-movement of the tobacco crop.

In addition to paying large dividends to the credit of the stockholders, all the banks carried substantial amounts to their surplus and undivided profits accounts, indicating a very good period.

**Mr. Rudy Vice President.**  
Richard Rudy, cashier of the Citizens Savings bank, was today elected vice president of that institution, in addition to his re-election as cashier. This bank has had no vice president since its inception, and the position was created in compliment to Mr. Rudy.

**Next Meeting in Boston.**  
Chicago, Dec. 31.—Boston was chosen as the place for holding the 1911 convention of the American Flyers' association. The date was set as August 29, 30 and 31. The executive committee in session here decided on the time and place.

**RESCUED HIS PRISONER.**  
Deputy Sheriff Lands Alleged Murderer in Jail.

Gulfport, Miss., Dec. 31.—After rescuing his prisoner from a mob bent on lynching him, Deputy Sheriff J. M. Williams arrived here with Jesse Odom, charged with murder in Bond, Miss., and placed him in the county jail for safe keeping.

The prisoner bears two gun shot wounds inflicted by the mob.

**HATH THE TRUST COUNSEL CONFER WITH WICKERSHAM.**

Washington, Dec. 31.—Attorneys for the individuals indicted as members of the so-called bath tub trust for the alleged violation of the Sherman act, appeared before the department of justice in behalf of their clients. The trio of lawyers was headed by Rush Taggert, of New York. They declined to state the result of their conference.

**On Account of New Years**

There will be no issue of The Evening Sun on Monday.

Chicago Market.

	Dec.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	92 1/2	92 3/4	92 1/2	92 3/4
Corn	47 1/2	48	47 1/2	48
Oats	31 1/2	31 3/4	31 1/2	31 3/4

## Another Mexican Plot Uncovered Before Plotters Had Time to Take Vera Cruz--Several Are Executed

Leading Business Men of Port Involved by Evidence--Yucatan is Hot Bed--Progress in Honduran Revolt.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Dec. 31.—That Mexican authorities here discovered a wide spread conspiracy in time to prevent the seizure of the port of Vera Cruz, and a gunboat in the harbor, became known today. Some of the most prominent men in Vera Cruz are involved. Fifty arrests have been made, and three alleged leaders summarily executed. Reports from Yucatan indicate that section is a hotbed of rebel sentiment, and an outbreak at Merida is expected.

**Tegucigalpa, Honduras, Dec. 31.**—Clashes between Bonilla's soldiers and government troops along the Nicaraguan border are resulting in repeated victories for the rebels. It is known that numerous Davilla soldiers are joining Bonilla and Lee Christmas. It is believed the main fighting will take place here and that when Bonilla raises his flag over the palace the revolution will end.

**Murray Wedding.**  
Murray, Ky., Dec. 31.—The marriage of Elbert Lassiter, of New Market, Tenn., to Miss Myrtle Holland, the youngest daughter of Mrs. R. H. Holland, took place yesterday afternoon. Mr. Lassiter formerly lived here; was assistant cashier of the Citizens' bank. After the marriage they started on an extensive southern trip, after which they will be at home at New Market, Tenn., after January 10.

**M. W. A.**  
Many Members and Friends of Lodge Attend.

About 300 members and friends of the Paducah Lodge No. 11313, Modern Woodmen of America and the Royal Neighbors auxiliary were present at an enjoyable social and oyster supper held at the Three Links building last evening. It was a delightful occasion exemplifying the social side of lodge life. Through the kindness of the Bookman Tea and Coffee company the guests each enjoyed a hot cup of coffee with the lunch.

## COUNTY HEALTH BOARD STILL LACKS MEMBER

The county board of health for 1911 will be composed of Dr. O. H. Kidd, Dr. J. Q. Taylor and Dr. J. G. Brooks, appointed by the state board. County Judge Allen W. Barkley is a member ex-officio and a member will be elected at the session of the fiscal court Tuesday.

## KING'S MOUNTAIN STORE DYNAMITED

NO CLEW TO THE OUTRAGE IN LITTLE TOWN ON Q. & C.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 31. (Special.)—At Kings Mountain, Ky., the big general merchandise store of Murphy & Acton was blown up with nitro-glycerine. There is no clew. Several other buildings were burned.

## MONDAY OBSERVED AS NEW YEAR HOLIDAY

This is the last day of the last week of the last month of the year 1910. Tonight at 12 o'clock the new year will be ushered in, and 1910 will pass into oblivion. As usual there will be a large number of watch parties to watch the new year in. Monday in business will be observed as a holiday. The public buildings will close all day. Some of the stores in the business district will be closed part of the day. The banks will be closed and the post-office will be open only from 9 o'clock until 10 o'clock and the carriers will make only one delivery of mail. The Illinois Central shops will be closed.

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## TURK-GERMAN ALLIANCE IS ENGLISH BAR

That is the Opinion in South-eastern Europe, Concerning Persia.

Situation in England and on the Continent--Gossip of Foreign Capitals.

(United Press Association.)  
Tehran, Dec. 31.—The impression here is that Germany and Turkey, combined, have frightened England and Russia out of dividing Persia between them—just at present, at least.

In northern Persia, Russia has not, indeed, relinquished anything that it held. It maintains garrisons wherever it had them and the czar's officers continue to interfere in Persian affairs as much as ever. It has stopped the reinforcement of garrisons, however, and several detachments of troops which recently crossed the frontier from the Caucasus, evidently intending to march still farther to the southward, have been recalled.

In the south, England has shown every sign of indecision and anxiety. It has landed marines from its warships in the Persian Gulf and called them aboard again, taken the aggressive in several skirmishes on shore and then backed out of them, and shown no inclination to make good its ultimatum to take possession of the southern roads unless the Persian government put a stop to the disorders which the English themselves were stirring up.

It is no doubt natural that England should be more cautious than Russia. The latter is able to get into northern Persia by land marches while the English would have to bring their forces long distances by water.

No one imagines that the London and St. Petersburg governments have finally abandoned their designs against the shah's country, but it looks very much as if they had reconsidered their decision that the time was ripe for an immediate grab. In some respects, Turkish aggression seems a more urgent danger. The Ottoman troops are gradually getting possession of more and more Persian territory in the vicinity of their own frontier. The Turkish movement was undertaken ostensibly in defense of Persia against Russia, but it is strongly doubted here whether it will surrender anything that it gets securely into its hands.

**Turkish Troubles.**

Constantinople, Dec. 31.—Official denials to the contrary notwithstanding, the Young Turkish government is in a very precarious situation. The progressive element, of which the Young Turks are the head, is so enormously outnumbered by the reactionaries that it feels its only hope is to act with the utmost severity at the first sign of popular discontent anywhere in the country. By this method it has succeeded in holding its own thus far, but it has stirred up such an amount of hostility that it is in danger now of being overwhelmed at any moment. The outbreak of the administration's enemies in parliament a few days ago, in connection with the undoubtedly accurate showing they made of the cruelties the troops have practiced in disaffected sections of the country apparently brought matters to a head. There are mutterings of rebellion from every direction at present.

To make matters worse there is serious question concerning the loyalty of War Minister Chekret Pasha to the Young Turkish cause. Chekret was never a member of the Young Turkish group. He was enough of a progressive to oppose Abdul Hamid's misgovernment, and accordingly took command of the troops who marched upon Constantinople at the time of the last reactionary uprising, and the Young Turks accepted his services because he was recognized as the ablest general who was willing to serve them.

They were afraid of him from the first, however, and the manner in which he criticized their policies following Abdul Hamid's deposition made them still more so. He was certainly the last man they wanted for war minister, but there was no escape from it. The faults he was continually finding with their military methods were causing them the greatest inconvenience and it was finally decided to take him into the cabinet as a means of silencing him and perhaps hindering him to their own group. Chekret saw the trap and was very willing to step into it.

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# THE KENTUCKY One Performance WEDNESDAY, JAN. 4

The Dramatic Event in the History of This Generation

HENRY W. SAVAGE.



BY ALEXANDRE HISSON

The Wonderful Dramatic Niagara of Mother Love

One year in New York—One year in Chicago—Two years in Paris and London.

"Go where you will, stoop to what depths of degradation you can—you can never shut my heart, my arms from you; as long as I live, you shall have one sincere friend."

This is the crowning truth, told in this Niagara of mother love. . . .

This production is owned and controlled by Henry W. Savage (Inc.)

Books of the play in pictures given away on application at the box office. . .

Patrons should be in their places early so as not to miss the prologue

## PRICES FOR THIS ENGAGEMENT

Lower Floor	\$1.50
Five Rows Balcony	\$1.00
Balance Balcony	75c
Gallery	50c

Seat sale opens Monday, Jan. 2, 10 a. m.

## THEATRICAL NOTES

AT THE KENTUCKY.  
Monday—"The California Girl" (burlesque).  
Wednesday—"Madame X" (High class drama, First class company.)  
January 11—"Arizona" (Revival of Augustus Thomas' great play.)  
January 14—"Lion and the Mouse."  
January 20—"The Blue Mouse" (French farce adapted by Clyde Fitch).  
January 21—"Squaw Man."  
January 30—"Cool Gilmore in 'The Bachelor'."  
STAR—Family Vaudeville.  
GEM—Moving Pictures.

Lexington Likes "Madame X." "Madame X," the great play, which will be seen by an unusually strong company at the Kentucky theater Wednesday night, was played at Lexington Wednesday night, and the Lexington Leader yesterday said:

That drama almost terrible in its soul-stirring intensity, "Madame X" was presented at the Opera-house Wednesday night.

When the curtain falls on that last pitiful scene when the wages of sin have indeed brought death of the bitterest kind, one turns to go out with a hushed feeling of tender reverence as though the emotions awakened had come too deep for words, and the pity and sorrow of the shattered life had made holy ground out of the sinful waste.

That was the effect that "Madame X" had on most of the audience, and the sympathetic following of the tragic story of the mother love was due to the rendering as much, and even more, than to the lines themselves. It would have been painful to have had the beautiful story spoiled by the least touch of discord in interpretation, for the very tender, holiest feelings of which human nature is capable are woven into the pitiful world story of sin and suffering.

Wrong of the cruellest sort was in the woman's first fall, but from the beginning comes the feeling of too harsh judgment and undue punishment for the sin that could have no palliation but through the great ex-

cess of all who love real love. But the judgment is sent upon the sin and the weak, erring woman becomes the embodiment of one great purifying passion, that of mother love.

To portray such a character as that means art of the deep, true, sympathetic kind that can go to the very depths of the heart and touch chords that vibrate only to the most sacred emotions.

And in this part of Jacqueline Mabel Montgomery gave a wonderfully sympathetic interpretation. Power there was, and a sure true feeling for the desolate despair, pitiful, so tenderly pathetic.

The acting in the scene with Laroque was magnificent, the dramatized woman waking up to the significance of the question from the burning rascal and fighting even to the point of murder for the sake of the child she loved.

Laroque was an unusually well-played character in the hands of Warner Oland, the flashy, unprincipled rogue being perfectly portrayed. And the same commendation must be given to the whole company, for excellence in the entire cast was a necessary accomplishment of a play of this kind and the demands were met in full degree.

The portrayal of Charles Bunnell was as good an impersonation as could be imagined. It is not often that such perfect conception of a part of that kind is given. Merivel, George Timmons, supplied the lightness with all the grace and dexterity that schoolmaster's learning and boomer could give. He was excellent.

For the climax of insanity Olanthia, as Victor, was all that could be desired, and indeed one could wish that there was time and space to tell of the fine touches that so many of the members of the cast brought in. There was a finished effect to the whole production that made it so entirely satisfactory. There was simply splendid acting through the end of the play, and the interest, painful and almost unbearable at times by reason of the depth of feeling aroused, found relief in the comedy harmony, not out of the tone of the picture.

The trial scene could not fail to bring tears to the eyes, and the father's pleading of child for mother must touch even the hardest. There was the ring of truth in the tone, and so perfectly had the sympathy been wound about the despairing woman that unconsciously one's whole heart went out in response.

The play is wonderful in its appeal, and while it would seem that it is too painfully tragic, one can but yield to the great power and pathos and give one's self unreservedly to the powerful effect produced.

It is a great play and wonderfully played.

"Arizona." Much interest attaches to the coming engagement of Augustus Thomas.

The attraction at the Shubert Masonic theater at Louisville the first half of New Year's week will be Margaret Hillington, her first visit since she was there with John Drew in "His House in Order."

Incidentally, it will also mark her first appearance in this city since her return to the stage after two years spent in domestic retirement. Miss Hillington's engagement will be auspicious from other viewpoints. In that she will be seen in two plays, both new with one of them to be produced for the first time in America during her stay here.

great American play, "Arizona" at the Kentucky theater next Friday night. When Augustus Thomas wrote "Alabama," the ablest critics in America said he had written the best American play. On the morning of September 11, three of the best newspaper critics in New York declared "Arizona" a better play than "Alabama." The logical inference is evident. "Arizona" as the name would indicate, is a stage-told story of the lives and loves of men and women living in the picturesque section of our national domain. The characters are typical of the sturdy civilization of a new country. Canby, a splendid old ranchman, who dominates the Aravaipa Valley; his kind, hearted but peppery tempered wife; their two beautiful daughters, children of the plains veneered with San Francisco culture; the officers and soldiers of a frontier cavalry post—these are the principal types that move and live in a play said to be one of the best contributions to the American stage since Bronson Howard and Dion Boucicault laid the cornerstones of that institution's foundations.

The scenes of the play are on a ranch close to the Mexican border and Fort Grant, one of the United States military posts, established primarily to keep the Indians in a passive condition. The dramatic motive is simple and the complications which lead to the denouement, innocent rational. The young wife of a colonel many years her senior, being wedded to the point of despair by her lonely life, has a passing spasm of romance, is on the verge of an elopement with an almost too transparent villain, when the young lover of her sister follows the plan but at such a critical moment that he must himself bear the burden of suspicion or reveal the wife's frailty to her husband, who has been to him as a father. With genuine manliness, he chooses to shield the woman and await the future for his justification. By thus sealing his lips, he innocently develops a series of crises that are highly tragic and eventually a catastrophe. But when it is all over and the sun breaks through the heavy clouds, one feels that in every step of the matter, his judgment was sound and his conduct gallant and heroic.

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Miss Hillington will present "The Whirlwind," which is by Henri Bernstein, who also wrote "The Thief" for this actress, at the matinee on New Year's day (Monday) and at the evening performance that same day. On Tuesday and Wednesday evening, and at the Wednesday matinee, Miss Hillington will be seen in a new play which is called "The Encounter." This play, which is from the pen of Pierre Berton, who is perhaps best remembered by American audiences as the author of Zaza.

"I don't know what to buy for my husband, he has stacks of neckties" "Cigars" "He gave them to the janitor" "Suspenders" "He wears a belt. I know what I'll do. I'll buy him a ball rug and a pair of bedroom curtains"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## The Old Man With the Scythe.

The wonderful new year has a way of coming round once in 12 months, seeming so much the same when it dawns upon us as the one just passed that we hardly realize another one has been added to those who answer to the roll-call of Time.

When we do realize it, there is always a bit of silence, except with the children—with them everything is new, as we think of the fresh book of three hundred and sixty-five leaves that opens in its whiteness for us to fill the pages. And we hope that the record will be better than any previous one, whether good or ill. And we put up a little prayer that we may "make good" our nobler resolves and "measure up" toward our high ideals, so that the world shall be better for our having lived this year.

It is a good time to be optimistic to believe, with Browning, that—"God's in His Heaven! All's well with the world" when time begins throwing his white roses at us, and every passing year puts into his laden wallet a little light from the past, a little glow and softness from the cheeks, a little glow and color from the hair, a little lightness from the step, and bestows upon us, in their stead, a varied assortment of odds and ends, which are, as to value, exactly what we choose to make them. It needs a little moral alchemy to turn them into gold and diamonds, pearls and opals; but with this transforming touch, Time's gifts are a growing patience which brings sweetness and gentleness in the train. And all of these things write themselves clearly enough on aging faces, sometimes beautifying what was once almost destitute of charm; and sometimes spiritualizing what once was beautiful in form and color, but lacked the loveliness that results from an equal balance of mind and heart.—Unknown.

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Migration of Storks. Reference has been made to the departure of the storks from Alsace. The ornithological bureau of Budapest has recently published the results of an interesting experiment. To the leg of a number of young birds a light disk was attached, stating the place of origin and in the event of capture asking that the label might be detached and forwarded to Budapest. The rings returned show that the birds have reached Basutoland, the Transvaal and Cape Colony. Unfortunately only two of the ten captured birds escaped death. Eight of those graceful creatures had fallen to the unrelenting and unerring aim of the

SANTAL-MIDY Standard remedy for Gonorrhea and all its complications. Cures in 48 hours. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

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Mabel Montgomery as Jacqueline Floriot in "Madame X" at the Kentucky Wednesday, January 4.

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Paducah, Ky., October 14, 1910: This certifies that I have been selling Hall's Texas Wonder for six years and recommend it to the public to be the best Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic Remedy that I have ever sold. Sixty days' treatment for \$1.00. J. M. Oehlischlaeger.

Perpetual motion seems to be an impossibility, but you can't make the father of strapons twins believe it.

Notice to Sateenkeepers. All applications for retail coffee house license and bonds, for same, should be filed on or before December 31st, 1910, in the City Clerk's office, by order of the Mayor. MAURICE MINTYRE, City Clerk.

"What? A shilling for cutting my hair? That's outrageous!" "Harber—'tut, my dear sir, the hairs on your head are so far apart that I have to cut each one by itself."—London "Tri-Hits."

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## SHUBERT Theatre

Louisville's Leading Playhouse Always 400 main floor seats at \$1.00.

January 2-3-4 — Margaret Hillington, in "The Whirlwind and The Encounter."

January 5-6-7 — Virginia Harned, in "The Woman He Married."

January 9-10—Fritzi Scheff, in a revival of "The Mikado."



## The Week In Society.

### THE CURTAIN FALLS.

Over the sorrow and over the bliss,  
Over the tear drop, over the kiss,  
Over the crimes that blotted and blurred,

Over the wound of the angry word,  
Over the death in weakness done,  
Over the battles lost and won,  
Now at the end of the flying year,  
View that tomorrow will not be here,  
Over our freedom, over our thrall,  
In the dark and the midnight, the curtain falls.

Over our gain and over our loss,  
Over our crown and over our cross,  
Over the first of our discontent,  
Over the ill that we never meant,  
Over the scars of our self-deceit,  
Over the strength that conquered trial.

Now in the end of the flying year,  
View that tomorrow will not be here,  
Quietly blind, the prompter calls;  
Draw it swiftly the curtain falls.

Over the clouds and the sunlight,  
Over our shifting, frowning mood,  
Over the heart where bright flames leap.

Over the crisis where the halcyon sleep  
Over the chamber, over the bed,  
Over the journey of life,  
Now in the end of the flying year,  
View that tomorrow will not be here,  
Over the dawn, over the starry walls,  
Silently downward the curtain falls.

—Margaret E. Sangster.

### SOCIAL AND CLUB CALENDAR.

**MONDAY**—The German club will have its New Year dance at the Belmont at 9:30 o'clock. Supper will be served at 11:30 o'clock in the Holland room.

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### Wedding in St. Louis With Reception in Paducah.

The marriage of Mr. Edwin H. Wilson, formerly of this city, but now located in Evansville, Ind., to Miss Orr, of St. Louis, will take place on Monday at the home of the bride in St. Louis. The couple will come direct to Paducah to visit Mr. Wilson's mother, Mrs. Kate R. Wilson, 817 Broadway.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Miss Minnie Hatfield, an aunt of the bridegroom, has issued invitations for a reception-dance on the evening of Tuesday, January 3, from 8 until 12 o'clock at the Woman's club house.

**England Attractively Featured.**  
The Literature department of the Woman's club presents an attractive program of England at its open meeting on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Woman's club house.

Dozens of Women's stylish Long Coats will be on sale here next week at wholesale prices and less.

We want 500 customers for Skirts at bargain prices. You can now save from two to five dollars here on Women's Skirts.

Women's Waists have received new low prices for next week's sale.

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**DRESS GOODS PRICES.**  
We are making greatly reduced prices on Dress Goods, which have just received our inventory cut prices.

Notions, Staple Dry Goods, Hosiery, Underwear, Clothing for Men and for Boys, Shoes for the whole family are all being overhauled, inventoried and given new prices for January selling.

**Magazine Club With Mrs. Gardner.**  
A delightful Vaudeville meeting of the Magazine club was that with Mrs. Armour Gardner on Friday afternoon at her attractive home on Fountain avenue. The Christmas decorations of holly wreaths and palm fronds throughout the rooms gave a pretty emphasis to the spirit of the occasion. The red and green motif was effectively carried out in all the appointments. A substantial 2-course luncheon was served in the dining room, after which the guests were invited into the library, where eating and fruit cake was enjoyed.

The magazines were delightfully featured, interesting resumes of some of the Christmas numbers were given as follows:

North American Review by Mrs. George T. Wallace.

Century by Miss Helen Lowry and Mrs. L. A. Washington.

Mrs. John Swift Montgomery, of Thonerville, Ga., was the only out-of-town guest present.

**To the Old Year.**  
So many days were lived through gay and witty wrenches, Old Year, I cannot let you go! Such great things we've had in us journeyed side by side. None other so intimate as this! No other friend, save thou, has witnessed my defeats, no other so cheerfully shared my triumphs. I feel so much at home with thee, Old Year! Thy face, so familiar, is the face of an old friend. But this stranger which comes apace, hurrying to take thy place and to usurp thy privileges, I know naught of him! I know not what strange new ways he may usher in. He comes bringing vast possibilities for great things. Who knows whether he will realize his responsibility and seize the moment of achievement as soon as it is presented? If he proves to be a worthy heir of thee, he may add materially to the world's acquisition of science. His life he has ended.

**A WOMAN'S APPEAL.**  
To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, "relaxation" liniment, backache, pains in the knees or muscular aches, is a relief to her for a home remedy which has repeatedly cured all of these troubles. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers. You are sure you'll find it home as thousands will testify. No change of climate, no lax remedy. This simple discovery, bottles are sold from the blood, bones, the stiffened joints, purifies the blood, and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone in the whole system. If the above interests you, for prompt address Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, South Bend, Ind.

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### Next Week

All Coat Suits will be sold next week at and below wholesale prices. If you are interested you can now buy a Coat Suit here for \$5.95, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15.00; made to sell for double these prices.

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**A New Year Wish.**  
"I wish you happiness throughout the coming year, and the 'I' may not always tell you so, the thought and the wish will be yours just the same. Whatever joy or success comes to you, it will make me glad."

**A Simple Safflower for Mothers.**  
Mrs. D. Oakeson, 326 Ingles ave., Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes—Gilbert's drug store."

**TURK-GERMAN**

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but said so much that there was really no escape for him.

The plan worked well for a while, but with the growth of popular discontent there are signs that the general is becoming dissatisfied again and thinking of throwing the Young Turks overboard. Inasmuch as he has the solid support of the army, his succession would be fatal to the present regime. It is generally believed that, if he decides to act at all, he will undertake the establishment of a military dictatorship himself. In such a case he would be the real ruler and the sultan a mere puppet.

The Young Turks would probably make short work of the general if they did not know that to do so would precipitate an immediate army uprising. He is unquestionably, however, in considerable danger of assassination by some fanatical individual member of the committee of union and progress.

**To Abolish the Gallows.**  
London, Dec. 31.—A bill will be introduced at the next session of parliament for the abolition of the gallows and the strictly private dispatch of condemned men in their cells and under the influence of an anaesthetic. The measure has already been drafted and its passage is being agitated by a group under the leadership of A. C. Benson, the author, and son of the late Bishop of Canterbury.

"I cannot help thinking," Benson explains, "that a condemned man should be able to choose both the time, within fixed limits, and the manner of his death, and that the resources of medical science should be employed to make that death as swift, as quiet and as painless as possible."

"If a prisoner in the solitude of his cell might be allowed to swallow a potion, or be done to death by an anaesthetic, death would at least have some touch of privacy and decorum about it. But the awful ceremony and disgusting apparatus of violent death seems to me utterly barbarous and medieval. A man at such a crisis of his fate is not a thing to exult and gloat over, whatever his crime may have been, and I believe that the solemn barbarity of the whole proceeding has an entirely degrading and degrading effect upon the public mind."

**A Hair Famine.**  
Paris, Dec. 31.—False hair, locally known as "chichi," is almost totally lacking, dealers say, and soon a "hair famine" will be in full swing in France. It is said to be the result of so much hair being sent to America. Britany girls, Arlesians to ferment.

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Paris, Dec. 31.—The house of Balzac, the great French writer, will be saved or sold for debt, as the case may be, by the middle of January. The author during his life was a constant victim of creditors who wanted their money. Since his death the house he occupied has been in constant litigation, though so far his admirers, who have formed an association whose aim is to turn the house into a Balzac museum, have succeeded in staying off the crash. Some \$1,200 in rent is due by the society and unless this is paid by January 15 the proprietor will sell the house and auction the Balzac relics to get his rental.

**You attribute your defeat to a landslide?**  
"Only partially," replied the statesman. A number of bricks that caught me squarely in the neck were too perfectly aimed to be directed by a mere upheaval of nature."—Washington Star.

**Revenge is sweet until it begins to rot.**

**General Booth.**  
London, Dec. 31.—General Booth, who has now permanently lost the sight of his right eye, is shortly to undergo another operation for the removal of a cataract from his left. At present, although he still does a little writing by means of touch, he is so nearly blind that he cannot recognize persons standing within a foot of him.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31.

## Daily Thought.

So may the New Year be a happy one to you, bappy to many more whose happiness depends on you! So may each year be happier than the last, and not the meanest of our brethren or sisterhood debarred their rightful share in what they were formed to enjoy.—Dickens.

The News-Democrat said the crowd taxed the city hall. Was that in retaliation?

And the man, who pays more taxes than anybody else in Paducah, didn't protest—we refer to the Honorable James Peterson Smith.

John K. Hendrick's threat to tell all he knows about the call for a state Democratic primary has scared the McCree papers so badly we begin to suspect he really does know something it wouldn't do to put the people wise to.

With the biggest year in the history of her buildings trade just drawing to a close, Paducah can raise her head from contemplating the profits of the western district tobacco crop today long enough to take a peep into the brightest prospect for a prosperous New Year she ever enjoyed—railroad building, traction line extensions, tax rate reduction made possible by revising the property assessment and public improvement, permanent government work in the river, assured, and a better feeling among citizens that Paducah has a real destiny. Let us put our own little selfish interests aside for the moment, and consider the fact that what benefits Paducah benefits us all.

## LET THE PEOPLE BEWARE.

Hon. Charles K. Wheeler stated last night before the meeting at the city hall to protest against the increase in the tax assessment on big property holders, that if the News-Democrat hadn't dragged the matter into politics the room would have been crowded. Whether or not the result would have been different had the News-Democrat allowed the demonstration to pass off as a non-partisan affair, the significance of the fact that the News-Democrat just at this time is dragging everything it possibly can into politics must not be allowed to pass without notice.

A certain element of this city is not entirely satisfied with the Smith administration for selfish reasons, and it is beginning this early through its mouthpiece, the News-Democrat, to muddy the political waters, while under the surface it gets in its work with both parties.

A majority of the voters of Paducah are Democrats and all things being equal the Democrats will carry an election. Two elements are necessary to insure Republican success: sufficient depravity in the Democratic organization to frighten the voters out of their partisanship, and sufficient merit in the Republican ticket to offer hope of salvation from the menace of it. Those conditions were present at the election, in which Mayor Smith was successful, and these interests recognize the danger of another similar hazard. They see that the people are satisfied because they are getting something for their investment under this administration, and would be inclined to favor another one of the same kind. So they are now trying to select the Republican candidate for mayor, realizing that if they get one of their own choosing to run on the Republican ticket, most any kind they may select for the Democratic candidate is sure to win.

That is what this abuse of the Smith administration means, coupled with the claim that George Walters is responsible for the good financial showing of the year; and the effort to create a schism in the Republican ranks and keep public attention focused on the Republican situation, while they manipulate Democratic politics. If the people of Paducah are not careful they will have another Tom Harrison campaign without a Jim Smith.

## DEMOCRACY'S CRISIS.

For the first time the Democratic party must now face the issue that has rent the Republican party the last two years—progressivism vs. reactionary influences. In Ohio, New Jersey, New York, Indiana, Maine and West Virginia, state legislatures will select United States senators. In New Jersey, Woodrow

Wilson recognizes the danger and has taken an active hand to prevent a representative of the interests securing the seat. In New York, where democracy abjectly surrendered to Tammany Hall, Sheehan, one of the gang, seems sure of election. In Ohio, Hiram controls the situation, and has prevented John R. McLean seeking the toga; but a true progressive will have a hard time winning. The party secured a temporary advantage by reason of the Republican party's demoralization over that same issue; and the answers to the question of whether or not democracy will make the most of its advantage, depends upon its ability to keep up with the progressive spirit of the times.

## THE END OF A DECADE.

Social eras and epochal periods of history do not conform to arbitrary measures of time; yet each year and each decade has its own significance, though movements of importance, and crises may lap over from one to the other.

The year 1910 closes a recognized decade with census of the country, a thing, which in itself provokes analysis and directs popular attention more closely to its events. During the decade just ended, and more particularly the year fast drawing to a close, we observed a world movement, an unrest that manifested itself variously, according to the peculiar conditions of the country under observation, yet possessing common symptomatic characteristics, which defined the relationship between the struggles going on among all civilized peoples, like the general advance of a great army, rushing forward here, temporarily checked there, a flanking movement to the right and apparent repulse on the left—confusing as a panorama, but clearly a systematic advance, when studied with a topographical map.

In this country where the restraint is least applied the turbulence is least manifest. In those countries, where restraint of the individual is most severely applied, the struggle burst forth into rebellion and, more than once successful revolution, Turkey and Persia and Portugal caught the full tide of the rise of the masses; Russian turbulence has increased; military Germany has been rocked by the clash between the theory of the divine right of kings and advanced socialism; even England presents the queerest assortment of political bed fellows and the most remarkable bed coverings the world has ever witnessed, in the fight of the commons against the ex-empted aristocracy on the one hand, and Catholic Ireland, fighting for autonomy in league with Protestant non-conformist Scotland and England against the established church.

The east is not sufficiently enlightened yet to feel the violent effect of internal readjustment, and nationalism is still the dominant political force in Japan, the menace of which will hold the United States poised by the same sentiment until European peasants throw off the back-breaking burden of naval armament, and popular education enables the Japanese cooies to distinguish between patriotism and loyalty to the ruling classes. Another decade should see the fulfillment of much of the promise of world peace and international comity made in this.

In the United States the ferment, being less confined, makes less disturbance; but the fermenting process is none the less marked. The first manifestation was the disintegration of party lines. They retained their forms until pressure was applied, and then they dissolved. Democrat and Republican mean less to this generation than "progressive" and "reactionary." Control of public service corporations in the interest of the public; punishment of men in high places for crimes against the social order; demands for popular primary initiative and referendum, in response to a recognition of widespread lack of confidence in politically machine selected officials; sanitary and hygienic reform, care of the poor, prevention of disease, development of rivers, conservation of natural resources and the laymen's organizations in the churches, indicate the trend of popular sentiment in this country, leading the world movement, that is sweeping like a tide around the earth, roaring and destructive, where encounters opposition, but irresistible.

The "progressive" spirit, which is called insurgency and is most marked, naturally, in the dominant political party, has almost entirely changed the character of the political leaders of the country within a half decade. Foraker, Aldrich, Cannon, Platt, Hale—one is dead, and all have grown old in the service, but everyone was swept out by the reform wave and there is no one of their kind risen to take their places. They are succeeded by Taft, Roosevelt, Root, Cummins, La Follette, Beveridge, and men of that stamp. And the change in the minority party is even more significant, for within a year really powerful national figures have appeared as the champions of Democracy—Harrison, Wilson, Folk—and they stand for the same policies the Republican leaders stand for.

The decade has witnessed, too, something like a triumph of American diplomacy—once contemptuously dubbed "shirt-sleeve diplomacy," because our untrained representatives concealed no ulterior motives under suave approaches. American influence in China is dominant today, because America has consistently been China's friends, and has stood for the integrity of the empire. American capital will aid in building the great railroad and American capital will reform the currency of China. In South and Central America, too, our influence is great, and with the abdication of

## PANAMA CANAL EXPOSITION.

The question who will receive the Panama Exposition celebration rests today with the middle west, the real seat and center of American vitality and American influence. If the dependant newspapers of that section will speak out, and if their congressmen will take an enlightened interest in what they have to say, there will not be much of a fight in Washington in January over the location of the Panama Exposition.

The people of New Orleans and Louisiana have raised over eight million dollars locally for the purpose of providing a proper celebration. They wish to give evidence to the rest of the south that the city of New Orleans, the greatest in the south, is awake to its interests and is ready to take a vital part in any movement for their advancement. They wish to show the people of the Mississippi valley that New Orleans with its banks, its commerce, with its business houses with its wonderful latent resources, stands ready to do its share in any movement for the public good.

Now how does this effect you brethren who dwell in the middle west, where already you have a large surplus of wealth to invest, where you are creating a surplus population, where your manufacturing and industrial enterprises have grown beyond the stage where nearby markets can consume their products?

The Mississippi valley geographically and commercially is a unit. Our money interests at New Orleans are the same as the money interests throughout the rest of the valley, and the rest of the valley has infinitely more to gain in a broad way by developing a great seaport at New Orleans than we at home have to gain in a narrow and selfish way, for the merchants and manufacturers in Chicago, Duluth, Minneapolis, Cincinnati, Toledo and St. Louis can come to

this city and establish here an agency for trading through this seaport with Central and South America and with the Orient. If he wishes to import and export he can do business here cheaper and better than he can do it in New York or in the East. If he wishes to open up a vast trade territory with South America and the Orient, which is now inaccessible to him through the East, owing to competition and cost there, he can only reach that territory through the natural deep water seaports of the Mississippi valley. If he wishes to handle heavy cargo in the next ten, twenty or fifty years he must load it in boats, float it down the Mississippi and transfer it here to the carriers of the world.

There is no answer to that. New Orleans is the Panama port. It is as much the natural seaport of the Mississippi valley as New York is the natural seaport of the east, the artificial seaport of the rest of the United States. Great world trade cannot be established without great ships and shipping, and it is up to the rest of the Mississippi valley to stand behind New Orleans.

The best way that this object can be accomplished is by the newspapers of the Mississippi valley insisting that their congressmen support New Orleans as the logical and only site for the Panama exposition. If each newspaper prints these facts as they know them to bear on their own commerce and on their own future, if each newspaper which receives this will ask the leading manufacturers and the leading business interests of its city whether they do not know that this argument is correct, and if they find that this argument is correct, if they will see that this may throw the vast influence of the Mississippi valley behind the Panama exposition movement at New Orleans there is no doubt about the result.—New Orleans Item.

their houses and churches, and at 12 o'clock they were very particular to show in some way that they were rejoicing that another year had begun.

Not all of these people celebrated New Year's on the same day. The ancient Romans used to have their New Year's day in March; then they changed to January, and a large part of the rest of the world followed them. The Jewish people have another day and the Chinese and Japanese still another, but whenever the day falls, according to their special calendar, there is always a very important celebration of it.

The Druids, who were the priests of England before the Christian religion was taken into Great Britain, also celebrated New Year's day. They were very interesting and very strange people, these Druids, and according to what one reads about them in history, one always imagines them as wearing beautiful white robes and having tall, magnificent figures and flowing white beards and hair. At any rate, they always wore white robes on New Year's day, for that was the day when they cut down the sacred mistletoe.

For the Druids didn't think that mistletoe was only a pretty green vine. They believed it to be a miraculous growth which would prevent people from being harmed by poisonous food or drink. On that day a particularly large, handsome Druid, with glistening white beard and hair and rather cold gray eyes—Druids always had cold gray eyes we believe—and clothed most beautifully in white, would climb the oak tree on which the mistletoe grew and cut it down with a golden sickle. He wouldn't take it in his hand, because they didn't consider that respectful enough to the sacred mistletoe, which could do such wonderful things. Instead he would catch it in a pure white cloth and climb carefully down the tree with it. After this an altar would be erected and white bulls sacrificed and prayers offered. Then the Druidical community felt that for the following

Contrary to promises and the call for the meeting of the state executive and central committee that the meeting was only for a "conference" and not for a call of convention or primary. The committee acting under the influence of the Standard Oil company took the bull by the horns and called a primary election for May 27, 1911. In spite of the protest of 40 out of 43 state candidates. Only one candidate favored a primary, Senator Jas. H. McCree, and two were willing to accept either a primary or convention and 40 were outspoken for a convention so that they could have a platform on which to stand in making the race and the repetition of four years ago would not be seen, where each candidate was a platform unto himself; some for the county and some against it and several of the candidates having two sets of speeches, one for a "dry" town and county, and the other for a "wet" town and county. These facts are well known to every informed man in the state. But the power behind the throne was the money of the Standard Oil company through its representative of the mountains, a man who has amassed FIVE MILLION DOLLARS in the past five years and who is known to be willing to put in one million of his money to Coloradoize Kentucky and go to the United States senate. He put up the "swag" to buy five state executive committees who have heretofore been and were elected as anti-primary and anti-beckham men in 1908; but the mountain king's money got them and they voted for a primary. He proposes to buy the senate seat because the Standard Oil wants him and will add five million to his one in order that "the interests" may have another representative in the United States senate. He is behind McCree and with Percy Haley in all the machinations of state politics and the manipulations thereof. It is cheaper, the mountain king thinks to buy 25 or 30 representatives and senators than it is to buy the entire voting population of the state. That is why they put the rollers under Ollie James and sent him down the hill in the same toboggan slide with John K. Hendrick. Matters will be the warmest the state ever saw before.



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year they would have all the good luck possible.

You see in those days New Year's celebrations were very serious things and all of the ceremonies attending them were religious.

## STATE PRESS.

## Hazarding a Guess.

It is said that Hon. John K. Hendrick will not make his six speeches, which have been announced through the press dispatches, and that he would also not make the race for governor.—Mayfield Messenger.

## Please Don't Join.

It is given out that Colonel John K. Hendrick, candidate for governor, will make six speeches at different points in the state, including Lexington, condemning the Democratic committee for calling the primary election against the wishes of all the gubernatorial candidates except Senator McCree. It can in no event help the colonel, but would injure him to a great extent and could only result in creating resentment in some people's breasts against the powers that be. The best thing for the colonel to do is to accept the action of the committee in good faith and get down to business in his office to beat the man who seems to have it all his own way.—Lexington Herald.

## More Advice on the Subject.

If Mr. Hendrick is wise and prudent he will use that other "think" that is coming to him, and if he intends to continue in the race for governor as a Democrat, will devote his first and subsequent speeches to giving the Democratic voters some of the good reasons why they should vote for him as their standard bearer instead of McCree or Johnson. The character of campaign conducted by General N. R. Hays four years ago is not going to be effective in getting votes for Mr. Hendrick. The people want a Democratic ticket elected next November and they have no time to listen to the snarling or the whining of a man who is putting his own ambition above his party's best interests. Mr. Hendrick may not know it, but the people much prefer the primary for it gives them a direct say-so for their choice among the various candidates. Conventions are not always—in fact, are seldom—representative of the real will of the voters. John K. Hendrick knows that. The plan of Whalen to nominate Johnson for governor is arranged by the action of the state committee in calling a primary and really the loudest complaint we hear against the primary comes from those candidates and those politicians who consider their chances better where the actual voters are not so directly in evidence. No one Florence Station; Mary Brown; Whannetown; William Murphy; Brookport; J. E. Arnold, H. T. White, Lexington, Tenn.; F. M. Hixon, V. T. Wortman, Dawson.

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## A Nasty Charge.

Mr. James said: "Mr. Toastmaster, Gentlemen of the Gridiron club and Gentlemen present, I have listened with much pleasure to the exercises of this evening and have enjoyed to the fullest this banquet and the speeches that have preceded this moment of time. I must say that I am at a loss to understand the action of the toastmaster in calling for a speech from me. The main subject under discussion tonight has been the tariff. My matter and skill by eloquence and wit this age was subject of the tariff has been battered about the room, in thinking or discussing the tariff I sometimes find myself in the condition of a constituent of mine who lives in the hills of Critt-

fore and that is saying a great deal. The attempted purchase of the senate by the Standard Oil for the mountain king is so hazy that all the four candidates are now saying they will not be frozen out but will stay in the race just to show the people how they are being bought and sold like sheep on the market. The Standard Oil ran the steam roller over Tom Paynter and Ollie James both by the committee. The Standard Oil has gone into Paynter's home county and bought his own representative, who says that he will vote in the legislature for the Standard Oil company and its mountain king over Paynter for United States senator.

Politics is good fun and the farther we get along the way the greater the fun. But who would have ever thought that 26 Broadway, New York, would control Kentucky politics? It do beat H-I-L-I—Smith and Tanner.

## Kentucky Kernels

W. H. Mason dies at Viola. Harber strike at Louisville. Madison roads in bad shape. Oak Hill coal mines reorganized. Hreathit sends 21 recruits to U. S. army. Middleboro gets first postal savings bank. Judge Hanberry will preside in Ballard circuit. Randolph Webber Owensboro, blinded by toy pistol. Ashury Hatley, Confederate veteran, dies at Russellville. Sam Redman's hip broken when buggy overturns at Clinton. Owensboro loses fight with Cumberland Telephone company. Many injured when observation car is smashed at High bridge. Governor appoints Robert Hingham circuit judge at Louisville. James Knott, near Owensboro, loses both hands by giant cracker. Tomorrow Equineplation day will be generally celebrated by colored people. Harrison Robertson becomes general editorial manager of the Courier-Journal.

## Heard in the Lobby

PAIMER HOUSE—J. H. Dones, wald, St. Louis; W. V. Green, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Griffith, Denton; Grant Barnes, Louisville; R. H. Bryan, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Abritton, Mayfield; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas, Princeton; I. H. Robinson, Cleveland.

BEHAVEDERE—John Jones, Cairo; J. H. Ray, Cairo; Otis E. Norley, Cairo; T. R. Lawrence, Trenton, Tenn.; A. Hrobt, St. Paul; E. H. Taylor, Madisonville; H. G. and T. C. Cunningham, Cadiz; A. L. Lowe, Mayfield.

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## The Weather

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tenden county Mr. James then described Sam Smith's home, his habits, and his peculiarities. Outraged by the said "One day Sam Smith came to town, Sam was generally dry Sam belonged to the great class of citizens who take sugar in their tea. As the bar-keeper leaned back against his fixtures Sam stirred his sugar and said "Jannie this tariff business is a hard subject to understand and I'll tell you what I have made up my mind to, and that is this, we either need a tariff or we don't need a tariff, damfino which."

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—HOBBSER, TAILOR. Refined clothing for gentlemen. 610 Broadway, Shamrock Bldg.  
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—Sow Rockford lawn grass seed now, for a fine lawn next summer. Hupson's, 529 Broadway.  
—The Evening Sun charges 10 cents a line for all notices of entertainments or social events to which there is any admission fee, and owing to the difficulty had in collecting these small accounts, it is necessary to require cash for such advertising.  
—Wm. Marable, telephone 915, has a new automobile for Taxicab service. Prompt attention to all calls, theaters, parties or the train.  
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Warrior Smith, colored, against whom there had been a warrant several months for pointing a pistol, had an attorney present in police court this morning and on motion of City Attorney Martin the charge was changed to breach of the peace and he was fined \$10.

—Mr. Frank Diego, who has been in critical condition with pneumonia at Riverside hospital, was somewhat improved today. His brother, Mr. S. H. Diego, of Elmwood, Ind., is at his bedside.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson, of Ennis, Tex., are the parents of a daughter. Mrs. Richardson was formerly Miss Agnes Mohan, of Paducah.

—Mr. Buck Lee, of 1204 Salem avenue, has returned from Helena, Ark., where he has been hunting. He killed one of the largest deer in that section.

Miss Edith Gordon, of Evansville, arrived this afternoon to be the guest of her cousin, Miss Alice Hovins, 717 South Tenth street.

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## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

### Matinee Musical's Tennyson Afternoon

The Matinee Musical club will meet in regular session on Wednesday afternoon, January 4, at 3 o'clock at the Woman's club house. A Tennyson program will be rendered. Mrs. H. S. Wells and Mrs. R. S. Robinson are the leaders for the afternoon. Miss Clara Cook, of Oklahoma, who is the guest of Mrs. J. T. Donovan and Miss Marie O'Brien and is a talented musician, will take part in the program by special request. It will be an open meeting of the club.

The program will be attractively featured, as follows:

1. The Life of Tennyson—Mrs. Wells.
2. Songs from Tennyson's "Princess"—(Benjamin Whistley)—Miss Anne Bradshaw.
3. Crossing the Bar—Quartet for Mixed Voices.
4. Songs from Tennyson's "Maud"—(Whistley)—Mrs. James Wells.
5. Sweet and Low—(Sydney Homer)—Mr. Emmet Bagby.
6. The City Child—(Homer)—Mrs. Roy Gresham.
7. Vocal Solo—(Selected)—Miss Cook, of Oklahoma.
8. (a) Hungarian Dance—(McDowell); (b) Sea Songs—(McDowell)—Miss Newell.

### Church-Bond.

Cards have been received in the city announcing the marriage of Miss Anna Joe Church, of Owensboro, to Mr. Chester Bond, Jr., of Jackson, Tenn. The marriage took place December 28 at the Seelbach hotel in Louisville. The bride is the daughter of Mr. J. E. Rogers, of Fifth and Washington streets, last year and made an attractive impression.

### Health-Smith.

Miss Lillie Heath and Mr. Q. L. Smith, of Maxon Mills were married yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the parlors of the Palmer House by the Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor of the First Baptist church. After the ceremony the couple left for their home in Maxon Mills.

Miss Martha Williams, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. H. Lovins, returned to her home in Providence today.

Mr. Charles DeWethers has returned to St. Louis after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pettor, of South Fifth street.

Miss Ada Ritter, of Hopkinsville, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Boulware, of South Sixth street, left today for Athens, Ga., on a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. H. Cunningham.

Attorney W. A. Anderson, of Wickliffe was in the city yesterday on business.

Miss Frances Bennett, of Maxon Mills, passed through the city yesterday en route to her home from Ashland City, Tenn.

Mr. Marvin Hart, of Erin, Tenn., is visiting in the city.

Miss Nina Hart, of Hart, Tenn., is the guest of Miss Ida Ellis, of South Eleventh street.

Mr. W. H. Payne, of Oklahoma City, is visiting his brother, Mr. Stokes Payne, of Maxon Mills.

Mr. J. C. Horn, of North Sixth street, has gone to southeastern Missouri on business.

Mrs. Max H. Nahn, of Bowling Green, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Louise Friedman.

Miss Eunice Quarles, of 123 Clement street, is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Bertha and Mary Smith, at Kevill.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell, of 2009 Guthrie avenue, have returned from Cadiz, Ky., after spending the holidays with relatives.

Mr. Fred Roth returned last night after a week's visit to relatives in Cincinnati and Georgetown, O. Miss Pauline Roth remained in Georgetown for a visit to her brother, Mr. Frank Roth.

Mrs. Pearl Burnett, who has been spending the holidays with relatives at Paris, Tenn., will return home tomorrow night.

Mr. Julius A. Felsenthal, of Brownsville, Tenn., will arrive this evening to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hulman, 433 Washington street.

Mr. J. A. Bowers, of Los Angeles, will arrive tonight on a visit to his family.

## SEASONABLE

Rock, Rye and Honey Compound speedily relieves that annoying early season cough and cold.

Price 50c and \$1.00

—AND—

Malarial Tonic Capsules are guaranteed to break up any case of chills. They don't make you sick like the sweet syrups do. They are splendid appetizers.

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Druggist

Seventh and Jackson Streets.  
Both Phones 237.

daughter, Mrs. Clarence K. Bell, of the Mayfield road, and a rip on business.

Miss Edith Boulware returned to her home in Hopkinsville this afternoon after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Logan Boulware, of South Sixth street.

Mrs. David Browning and son, David, Jr., will return tonight after a visit to relatives at Providence and Dixon.

Mr. J. G. Cashen, 1257 Kentucky avenue, is ill of grip.

County Judge Alben W. Barkley returned this morning from Arlington, where he delivered an address last night at the Odd Fellows hall. Thursday he addressed the K. K. K. club at Mayfield.

Mrs. L. L. Buck and little Miss Jane Gould, of Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y., arrived last night to visit Mrs. Elbridge Palmer and Miss Frances Gould, at "The Ferns."

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Nance, 2426 Kentucky avenue have returned home from New Orleans, where they spent the holidays.

Attorney and Mrs. Frank N. Burns returned last night from Chicago and Ann Arbor, where they spent the holidays with friends and relatives.

Miss Birdie Jones, of Cleveland, O., is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. H. Jones, of North Third street.

### Charence Lexow Dead.

New York, Dec. 31.—Charence Lexow, formerly chairman of the senate committee to investigate the city government of New York, died at his home in Nyack, N. Y., tonight.

### More Land Withdrawals.

Washington, Dec. 31.—President Taft signed a proclamation today eliminating 9,940 acres from the Boise National Forest, Idaho, and 567,221 for the Ozark forest in Arkansas.

### Explosion Kills Three Men.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 31.—A dynamite explosion on the tunnel being constructed by the Tennessee Coal Iron and Railway company, in Ensley, caused the death of three laborers, two white men and one negro, today.

### HELD OFFICERS AT BAY.

Iowa Man Harried Himself After Killing His Wife.

Keokuk, Iowa, Dec. 31.—After shooting and killing his wife in a fit of insane rage at New Boston, near here this morning and keeping a sheriff's posse at bay for hours, Christian Schock, a farmer, aged 40, was captured late last night and brought to the Lee county jail here. Schock had recently been released from the hospital for the insane at Mt. Pleasant, and probably will be returned to the hospital.

Following the killing of his wife during a quarrel, Schock barricaded himself in his home and defied the officers for several hours, but was finally induced by officers to surrender.

### INDUCTION MUST STAND.

Judge McPherson Makes Decision in Alvia and Centerville Railway.

Red Oak, Iowa, Dec. 31.—Judge Smith McPherson, in the United States district court today, made public his decision in the Alvia and Centerville Railroad case, and refused to dissolve his restraining order which forbade the sale of stock of the railroad to the Southern Iowa Traction company.

The injunction was asked for by the Iowa Central railroad company, which operates rolling stock, on the track of the other company and has a claim for service.

Details of the equity dispute will be settled by a master in chancery who will sit in Des Moines and file his decision within 60 days.

### LAMAR IS INTRODUCED.

Chief Justice White Presents Georgia to His Colleagues.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Today marked the observance by Chief Justice Edward D. White of a social amenity whose origin dates back to the founding of the supreme court of the United States. It was a formal call on the seven members of the court by the chief justice for the purpose of introducing to them their future colleague, Justice Joseph R. Lamar, of Georgia. (Custom decrees that a newly appointed justice shall call on the chief justice immediately upon his arrival in Washington, and that the chief justice shall then escort him to call on all the members of that bench. Justice Lamar called on Chief Justice White today.

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## START THE NEW YEAR

By doing your trading at Rock's and you will not regret it. It will be one resolution you will want to renew each year. Get the stock habit and life will be worth living. We keep the goods, fit the foot and have experienced salesmen to fit your foot.

TRY US THIS YEAR.  
GEO. ROCK SHOE CO.  
821 Broadway

## NEWS OF COURTS

### In Police Court.

Breach of peace—Edgar Lyles, fined \$10; Warrior Smith, fined \$15 on motion of prosecuting attorney. Hobbly—Eugene Holmes, dismissed. Disorderly conduct—Hester Crutchfield and Bud Baker, fined \$20 each.

### In Bankruptcy.

The first meeting of creditors in the bankruptcy case of Ira E. Morgan, of Benton, will be held in the office of Referee E. W. Bagby at 3 o'clock January 10.

A final dividend of 12.71 per cent has been declared in the case of Ben Michael. The total dividend declared out of the estate is 52.71.

On January 5 a hearing of the specifications of the objections filed in the case of Thomas D. Smith, of Murray, will be held.

## NEWS-DEMOCRAT

(Continued from Page One.)

member of the supervisors also. Mr. Emery favored the meeting of the property owners last night and said if there were any errors in the assessment he wanted them corrected. The total assessment of Paducah is \$14,000,000 under the block map system, and is not materially higher than the old plan, and some property that has never been assessed has been found, while some property in the business district has been assessed remarkably low. He explained that the plan of the block map assessment in placing a fair value upon the property in the city would make it so that the city could have a lower tax rate.

### The Petition.

The petition signed last night by Honorable James P. Smith, Mayor of the City of Paducah, Ky.

Dear Sir:—We, the undersigned citizens and taxpayers in the city of Paducah respectfully request that you appoint some other citizen in the place of Mr. George Emery as a member of the board of supervisors. We make this request, not through personal enmity to Mr. Emery, and not because we do not regard him as in every way qualified to fill the place, but as he was one of the commissioners fixing the valuation of property for the block map of the city, it is manifestly unjust to the citizens, who wish to protest against the valuation fixed on the said block map if the protestations are to be heard by the man who fixed the valuations objected to by the protesting citizens. Respectfully,

L. D. Potter, W. H. Patterson, Charles K. Wheeler, J. A. Reed, W. C. O'Bryan, C. T. Allen, George H. Andrecht, W. E. Smith, John Doherty, L. S. Dullis, J. C. Orr, F. E. Lack, W. J. Englert, R. N. Scott, W. R. Parker, G. W. Lee, W. P. Hummel, W. L. Brainerd, J. W. Lockwood, R. W. McKinney, George McCandless, W. H. Coleman, Cook Husbands, M. B. Rogers, Henry A. Potter, S. A. Fowler, L. Rapp, J. C. Maret, H. L. Robertson, K. R. Flournoy, George L. Barrett, J. L. Wolff, L. A. Tindall, F. B. Smith, J. A. Gardner, L. D. Sanders, M. Michael & Brother, H. C. Rhodes, J. C. Piper, Joe Artis, James M. Lang, John Arts, W. E. Cochran, M. G. Gilbert, R. G. Terrell and R. L. Conner.

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## WANT ADS.

No cards of thanks, want ads, or notices of any character for church societies, lodges or other organizations can be accepted without payment in advance. Our patrons will confer a favor by kindly remembering this.

FOR RENT—Three room house, 118 Farley street. Geo. Rawleigh.

FOR RENT—Four room house, 610 Adams. Apply 501 South Sixth.

DIAMONDS on easy payments. Eye See Jewelry Co., 315 Broadway.

HAIR WORK—Maude Dawson, old phone 711-a.

WANTED—One second-hand phonograph. Apply to Thos. H. Clayton.

FOR RENT—Shop or storage building, 5th & Jackson. Phone 222.

FOR SALE—Pony, nice also for single driving. Phone 396.

HAIR WORK—Ada Pullen, 605 South Eighth. Old phone 2005.

FOR RENT—Room 117 Broadway. Bldg. out with bank fixtures, fireproof. J. A. Rudy.

FOR RENT—One side double tenement, 721 Harrison. Old phone 489.

UMBRELLAS covered while you wait. Eye See Jewelry Co., 315-323 Broadway.

TYPEWRITER—Brand new Underwood, No. 4, for sale at a reduction. Address M. R., care Sun.

ONE FIVE room house for rent, 1045 Trimble street. Apply to Thos. H. Clayton.

BEATS THEM ALL on prices Williams Furniture Depot, 501 South Third. New phone 981-a.

WOOD FOR SALE—Well seasoned stove and heating wood delivered \$1.50 per cord. Old phone 1262.

\$9.00 SEMA photos \$3.00 per dozen at Hunt's for 30 days; also special rate on other styles.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, for light-house keeping, 1201 Jefferson street.

IF YOU WANT furniture packed, repaired or refinished. Call old phone 1975.

WANTED—To buy a folding bed in good condition. Address 99, care Sun.

WANTED—A good girl, to assist in house work and attend to children. Phone 17724.

FOR SALE—One pair horses, one Studebaker wagon, one set wagon harness, \$150. Old phone 1556.

FOR RENT—1201 South Eighth street. Good location for grocery and saloon. See Richard Callis. Both phones 154.

S. H. HOSSEN, Dyeing, pressing, renovating, French dry cleaning (Work called for and delivered. Club \$1.00 per month. Old phone 338-a.

FOR RENT—Brick warehouse 30x125, two-story elevator on railroad track, Second and Washington. Apply R. W. McKinney, phone 89-r.

YOUR Lace Curtains need cleaning. You will make no mistake in sending them to the Star Laundry. Phone 200.

WE wash lace curtains very carefully. Get them cleaner and whiter than you could at home. Star Laundry. Phone 200.

WANTED—To furnish your umbrella with a new cover or handle. W. N. Warren, jeweler, 402 Broadway.

MEN may earn good pay copying addresses, etc., at home in spare time. Particulars free. C. H. Rowan, Dept. 394, Chicago.

OPENING for men and women, good pay copying and checking advertising material at home spare time; no canvassing. Send stamp. Simplex Mfg. Co., London, Ontario.

AGENTS—\$5 daily easily earned by anybody undertaking an easy canvassing agency as an extra. Expert knowledge to Mr. A. Steenken, Amsterdam, Holland.

YOU are wanted for government position; \$80.00 month. Write for list of positions open. Franklin Institute, Dept. 111-B, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—Two young men to work in city live days preparatory to road work. Pay every night. Call between 4 and 5 p. m. Room



## Turn a Draught to Good Account



Often in winter you dare not open a window, even though the room be warm, because the cold air makes a draught that is dangerous. With a Perfection Oil Heater there need be no danger from draughts.

Open the lower part of the window a little, put the Perfection Oil Heater in front of it, and the cold draught will be turned into a pleasant, healthful current of fresh air. The

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SMOKELESS  
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Absolutely smokeless and odorless

gives just as much heat as you desire. It is safe, odorless and smokeless. Has an automatic-locking flame spreader, which prevents the wick from being turned high enough to smoke, and is easy to remove to clean and drop back. Burner body or gallery cannot become wedged, because of a new device therefor; it can be easily and quickly unscrewed for reworking.

An indicator shows the amount of oil in the font. Has a cool handle. Filler-cap is put in place like a cork in a bottle, and is attached to the font by a chain. Finished in Japan or nickel, strong and durable, well-made, built for service, and yet light and ornamental.

Dealers Everywhere. If not at hand, write for descriptive circular to the nearest agency of the

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(Incorporated)

## RIVER NEWS

### River Stages.

Pittsburgh	16.0	4.0	rise
Cincinnati	21.2	0.0	80'd
Louisville	9.6	1.1	rise
Evansville	Missing		
St. Vernon	11.7	4.7	rise
St. Carmel	1.0	1.5	rise
Nashville	11.8	2.3	rise
Chattanooga	3.7	0.3	rise
Florence	2.9	1.0	rise
Johnsonville	4.7	0.1	rise
St. Louis	9.8	1.9	rise
Paducah	8.4	0.6	rise
Burnside	16.2	6.1	rise
Carthage	16.5	3.0	rise

### Forecast.

The Ohio will continue to rise at Paducah for the next three days.

### Arrivals.

Ohio, Cincinnati, George Cowling, Metropolis, J. T. Heeder, Tennessee, Kentucky, Brookport, Nashville, Nashville, Robertson, Owen's landing, Brookport, Livingston Point.

### Departures.

Ohio, Cincinnati, Cowling, Metropolis, Heeder, Brookport, Kentucky, Riverfront, Aln, Nashville, Nashville, Robertson, Owen's landing, Brookport, Livingston Point, Thomas H. Benton, Tennessee, Belle of Calhoun, Evansville.

### Miscellaneous.

George at 7 a. m. marked 8.4 feet, indicating a rise of six-tenths of a foot since yesterday. Partly cloudy and cold.

The T. J. Heeder arrived at 5 p. m. yesterday from the Tennessee river with a tow of barges. She delivered them at Brookport today.

The Belle of Calhoun, which arrived from Evansville yesterday afternoon, departed for Evansville at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The John L. Lowry will be the Evansville boat Monday.

The Kentucky returned from Brookport at 6 o'clock last evening and is receiving freight at the wharf boat. She leaves at 6 p. m. today for Riverfront, Ala. and will return next Friday morning.

The Clyde is due out of the Tennessee Monday night or Tuesday morning.

The Nashville arrived from Nashville, Tenn. this afternoon and will leave at 6 o'clock for a return trip. She will return here Tuesday.

From Nashville, the J. H. Richardson, which departed at 9 o'clock last night, is due to return here Monday on her way to Evansville.

The towboat Thomas H. Benton left today for the Tennessee river for a tow of barges.

The gorge at Wolfe creek broke yesterday at 11 o'clock and will reach here some time tonight. Ice will be passing Evansville during most of Saturday.

The local weather bureau was the first to get the news of the break.

### TIME TABLE

## Ferry Boat G. W. Robertson

Leave Paducah for Owen's Landing at	6:00 a. m.
Leave Paducah for Owen's Landing at	8:45 a. m.
Leave Paducah for Owen's Landing at	2:00 p. m.
Leave Paducah for Owen's Landing at	5:30 p. m.
Leave Paducah for Brookport at	7:00 a. m.
Leave Paducah for Brookport at	12:00 noon
Leave Paducah for Brookport at	4:15 p. m.
Leave Paducah for Livingston Point at	8:45 a. m.
Leave Paducah for Livingston Point at	2:00 p. m.

Tables furnished for and parties on application. All afternoon ride for Ladies and Children for 10 cents. A Twenty Mile Ride for 10 cents.

JOHN E. ROLLINS, Master.

## NEW YEAR'S DAY AT WHITE HOUSE

HOW PRESIDENT AND MRS. TAFT WILL RECEIVE.

First Cabinet, Then Diplomats, Judges, Officials and Army Men.

AFTER THAT THE CITIZENS.

Washington, Dec. 31.—President Taft will smile his New Year's greeting to the world Monday.

It will be the second time that the president and Mrs. Taft will officiate as host and hostess at that time-honored function, the White House New Year's reception. In defiance of the weather, crowds gather outside the white house hours before the buglers of the Marine band trumpets the entrance of the chief magistrate and the first lady of the land to commence the reception of the gilded diplomats, the judiciary, and the government officials, all of whom are received before the latch was lifted to the common people.

There is a character for every role in a world drama among the crowd that twirls in a persistent and stamping line from the white house doors down Pennsylvania avenue. Possessors of shiny elbows jostle bloods in fur-lined overcoats with familiar contemptuousness, matrons of determined physiognomy keep a hawk-like watch for advantageous places in the line. There are men, there are women, there are children, there are the thousands that come to shake the hand of President Taft and to wish him a Happy New Year.

With the first deep boom of the great hall clock at 11, four buglers step out from the band and sound the presidential call. The president and Mrs. Taft appear at the top of the broad winding stair and come down to receive the vice president and Mrs. Sherman, and the members of the cabinet and their wives. The party then move to the southern end of the blue room, where the president and vice president and the cabinet members form a receiving line and the ladies take up their places to the right of them. Then commences the reception of the diplomatic corps.

Mr. Will V. Green, of Philadelphia, formerly of Paducah, was in the city today on business.

Attorney R. T. Lightfoot left this morning for Morgantown, on business. He will return tomorrow.

Mr. O. O. Agler, of Chicago, arrived this morning to attend the bedside of Mrs. Agler, who is ill of pneumonia at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer.

Mr. Crider Thornberry returned this morning from Kevil after a visit to relatives.

Mr. Will Scott returned this morning from Cairo after a trip on business.

Attorney John M. Moore, of La Crosse, was in the city today on business.

Miss Regina and Agnes Flynn will return this evening from Louisville, where they spent the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomas returned to Princeton this morning.

Mrs. Geraldine Gibson will return tomorrow from Union City, Tenn. where she is visiting relatives during the holidays.

Mr. Paul Province returned this morning from St. Louis after a trip on business.

Mrs. James Lane has returned from a short visit to Grahamville and Maxon Mills.

## Coffee Special

Idlewild Brand Roast Coffee, fresh and strong.

Four Pounds for \$1.00

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## WONDERFUL CURE OF SORE HANDS

Skin Peeled and Flesh Got Hard and Broke—Blood Flowed in Fifty Places—"Single Box of Cuticura Ended Suffering."

"About eleven years ago I was troubled with sore hands, so sore that when I would put them in water the pain would very nearly set me crazy, the skin would peel off and the flesh would get hard and break. There would be blood flowing from at least fifty places on each hand. Words could never tell the suffering I endured for three years. I tried everything that I was told to use for fully three years, but could get no relief. I tried at least eight different doctors, but none of them ever did me one cent's worth of good. I was discouraged and heartless. I would feel so bad mornings when I got up, to think I had to go to work and stand the pain for ten hours, and I often felt like giving up my position."

"Before I started to work mornings I would have to wrap every finger up separately, so as to try and keep them soft and then wear gloves over the rags to keep the grease from getting on my work. At night I would have to wear gloves in bed. In fact, I had to wear gloves all the time. After doctoring for three years, and spending much money, a single box of Cuticura ointment ended all my sufferings. It's been eight years since I used any and I don't know what sore hands are now, and never lost a day's work while using Cuticura Ointment. Thomas A. Clapp, 310 N. Montgomery St., Trenton, N. J., Nov. 11, 1905."

A single set of Cuticura Soap and Ointment is often sufficient to end the most agonizing treatment for afflictions of the skin and scalp. Send throughout the world. Dealer Time & Chem. Corp., Sole Traders, 133 Broadway Ave., Boston, U. S. A.

ception. The buglers again step from their place with the band, and sound another spirited fanfare, as the doors open to the army, navy and marine corps officers—all in their full dress uniforms. Every military officer on duty in Washington is there and the gold lace of these uniforms is but little less gorgeous than the gilded dress of the diplomats.

### The Second Part.

With the passing of the military, the spectacular features of the reception are at an end, and the less-er government officials in plain citizens' clothes, file in, in the following order:

The Solicitor-General; Assistant Attorney-General; Assistant Secretaries of the Departments; Assistant Postmaster General; the Regents and Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution; The Civil Service Commissioners; the Interstate Commerce Commissioners; the Tariff Board; the Railroad Securities Commissioners; the Southern Canal Commissioners; the Commissioners of the District of Columbia; the Treasurer of the United States; Librarian of Congress; the Public Printer; the heads of bureaus in the several departments; the President of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

Then follow the various patriotic societies, who are accorded special recognition at the New Year's Reception. Members of the following organizations are in line: The Society of the Cincinnati; the Aztec Club of 1847; the Associated Veterans of the War of 1812-17; the military order of the Loyal Legion of the United States; the Grand Army of the Republic; the Model of Honor Legion; the Union Veterans Legion; the Union Veterans Union; the Society of the Army of Santiago; the Spanish War Veterans; the Army and Navy Union; the Minute Men; The Sons of the American Revolution; and the Oldest Inhabitants Association of the District of Columbia.

### The Crowd.

The last of the official visitors will have left by one o'clock. Mrs. Taft, Mrs. Sherman, and the ladies of the cabinet, then withdrew from the reception line to the state dining room, where refreshments are served. In the blue room the president and his cabinet square their shoulders and prepare to receive the long line that for hours had been gathering along the white house walks. The president's smile broadens, the bugles sound the band breaks into a lively two-step and the "common people" enter.

A heterogeneous throng—typical American—file into the lively music of the band, quickened to hurry them along. The line moves fast until it reaches the president, but there it is delayed by each individual endeavoring to obtain a distinctively personal greeting from the host.

A few feet down the line from the president stands several well-groomed and well-built men apparently lounging carelessly about, but keeping a careful eye on the moving line as it approaches the executive. They are the secret service men, and not a person reaches the objective point of the line without their close scrutiny. There are no hands wrapped in handkerchiefs, no packages are carried in the line, and no one approaches the president without keeping his two hands in plain sight.

The band quickens its tune, shifts from the lively two-step to more lively rag-time; the attendants are more persistent in keeping the line moving, but still the common people come on. Until the gray of dusk heralds the ending of the winter day they file through the blue room.

For the first time in many years a court has been discontinued in Crawford county, Pa. for want of a sufficient number of cases to make it worth while paying jurors.

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## OTEGA TRIBE

Held Men Held Their Annual Election.

A. B. Quilman Becomes Sachem and E. D. Poyner the Prophet.

Otega tribe of Red Men held the regular election of officers last night at the wigwam on North Fourth street. Al M. Foreman was appointed representative at the great council, which will meet in Owensboro in May. The officers elected are: J. B. Quilman, sachem; E. D. Poyner, prophet; A. J. Bradley, senior sagamore; J. H. Weimer, junior sagamore; Al M. Foreman, chief of records; A. J. Smith, keeper of wigwam; W. E. Buck, collector of wigwam; Henry Reinhardt, trustee.

### A Wedding Gift.

"A young couple very recently married came into our store the other day" said the silversmith "with a big silver pitcher and wanted us to change the initials on it so that they could give it to another couple as a wedding present. They had received

three others themselves. We can sometimes do it, and I sent it up to the workrooms, but word came back that it could not be done in this case, because the initials on it had been changed four times.—New York Sun.

Foley Kidney pills are tonic to action, quick in results, and restore the natural action to the kidneys and bladder. They correct irregularities. Gilbert's drug store.

### Opportunity.

A rich old man was asked how he made his money. "Simplest thing in the world," he said, "I always did the reverse of what everybody else was doing. If should find a better way for it.

everybody bought, I sold—prices were high. If everybody sold, I bought—prices were low."

Just now everybody is rushing to the cities, which are swelling to abnormal size.

Young man, go to the soil! There lies opportunity. Go with knowledge, energy and determination to succeed in your business. You will win, for the people of the swollen towns must eat three times a day, 365 days in the year. Hustle! Hustle!

Occasionally a bald-headed man finds a hairbreadth escape.

Men who are rolling in wealth should find a better way for it.

## WHY HAVE A NOVICE

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## PILES

"I have suffered with piles for thirty-six years. One year ago last April I began taking Cascarets for constipation. In the course of a week I noticed the piles began to disappear and at the end of six weeks they did not trouble me at all. Cascarets have done wonders for me. I am entirely cured and feel like a new man." George Kryder, Napoleon, O.

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## Brook Hill

Bottled in Bond

Eight years old; needs no introduction to the American public.

This is a reminder that some of the leading bars, cafes and dealers in Paducah are willing to pay the price for the leading brand of whiskey sold in America.



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wants.

## MASSAC BRIDGE

IS COMPLETED AND TRAVEL IS  
RESUMED.

One of the Big Bridge Contracts  
in Illinois is finished.

Metropolis, Ill., Dec. 31.—Once  
more the main traveled road between  
this city and a large section of Pope  
county is in shape for traffic. This  
is good news to say the least and a  
representative of this paper, after  
viewing the new concrete and steel  
bridge just completed last Friday at  
the Johns farm, gives it as his opinion  
that it will not soon be inter-  
rupted again by the same cause—and  
of course he knows.

At the time of the recent flood in  
this section, the old wooden bridge  
across Massac creek on the main Gol-  
conda road and about a mile and a  
half from this city, was washed com-  
pletely away and demolished generally.  
It has given more or less trouble  
for a number of years. The recent  
board of county commissioners, who  
have done so much for us in the way  
of bridges, took the situation in hand  
and contracted for a \$1,000 bridge to  
be erected on the spot.

The topography of the county at  
that spot is such as to make long ap-  
proaches to the bridge necessary and  
as the appropriation did not provide  
funds for the erection of these  
dumps, it was necessary to call upon  
those in that section most interested  
to come forward and see the work  
through to completion. This they  
did with a will and the result is a  
model country bridge in every par-  
ticular and one that old Massac creek  
will have to get on its hands and  
take a new hold on to every move  
or put out of commission.

Worse than an alarm of fire a  
night is the metallic cough of croup,  
bringing dread to the household.  
Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey  
and Tar in the house and give it at  
the first sign of danger. It con-  
tains no opiates. Gilbert's Drug  
Store.

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dred pounds of milk.

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"Criminal indifference" you  
say. And you are right. But  
how much worse is it than  
what you are doing every day?  
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ments of the

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all about the company that  
carries your fire insurance,  
but have you done anything  
about it? Many have, but the  
majority of policy-holders have  
done nothing about the selec-  
tion of a company. They are  
still "adding."

In the history of fire in-  
surance in America, a large  
majority of the fire insurance  
companies organized have  
failed or retired from busi-  
ness. To be insured in com-  
panies like Wells, that have  
been in business a hundred  
years and will be in business  
a hundred years from now,  
costs no more than to be in-  
sured in one that may go out  
of business next week.

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Eggs (dozen) ..... 28c  
Spring chickens (pounds) ..... 8c  
Hens (pounds) ..... 8c  
Geese (pounds) ..... 16c  
Butter (packing stack) ..... 16c  
Turkeys (pounds) ..... 15c

### LIVESTOCK.

Louisville, Dec. 31.—The receipts  
of hogs were only 530 head, making  
a total of 4,056 for this week. There  
was a good local and shipping de-  
mand for all weights, and the market  
ruled firm. Light shippers were the  
higher, others steady. Selected hogs,  
heavy, medium and light shippers,  
120 pounds and up, selling at \$8,  
while pigs went at \$7.50 and roughs  
\$7.40 down. The pigs were well  
cleared only in the day, and the mar-  
ket closed about steady. There are  
not near enough good packing hogs  
coming to supply the local demand.

Cattle.  
The receipts of cattle were only  
114; for the five days this week,  
1,028. Not many buyers on the  
yards, and those who were here were  
giving a larger share of their time  
and attention to winding up their  
business affairs for the year than to  
buying cattle, and in consequence  
the market was very quiet, with but  
little doing. Choice light hogs were  
steady. Medium and common  
kinds dull and dragged. Good de-  
mand for feeders, stockers and slop-  
pers. Halls steady. "Canners" dull.  
Milk cows slow. No prime, heavy  
cattle here. Feeding about steady.

Receipts, 13; for the week 183.  
The market ruled about steady with  
the best 7 1/4 c. Some fancy higher.  
Medium, 6 1/2 c; common 2 1/2 c  
5c.

Sheep and Lambs.  
Receipts light; for the four days  
this week, 30. The market ruled  
quiet. The best lambs, 5 1/2 c 5 1/2 c,  
medium and culls, 3 1/2 c 5 c; fat sheep  
2 1/2 c 3 c; medium and common, 1 c  
2 1/2 c.

St. Louis, Dec. 31.—Cattle—Re-  
ceipts, 1,000; market steady; native  
beef steers \$5.40 to \$7.25; calves in car-  
load lots \$4.25 to \$6. Hogs—Receipts  
6,500; market 5 1/2 c to 7 1/2 c; pigs  
and lights \$7.50 to \$7.55; packers,  
\$7.40 to \$7.90; butchers and best  
heavy \$7.80 to \$7.90. Sheep—Receipts  
1,200; market steady; native moun-  
tains \$5.50 to \$7.25; lambs \$5.50 to  
6.50.

### DUN'S REVIEW.

New York, Dec. 31.—R. G. Dun &  
company's weekly review of trade  
says:

After a satisfactory retail holiday  
trade business in nearly all lines is  
quiet, with the usual end of the year  
adjustments.

The outlook, while not as prom-  
ising for immediate activity as might  
be desired, contains none the less  
many elements of strength. The iron  
and steel trade is still confronted  
with a consumption of only half its  
producing capacity, and the dry  
goods business with the problem of  
cost, but there is an absence of de-

more/lizing speculation and of op-  
erated thieves in all mercantile  
lines, while the agricultural prosper-  
ity of the last year and the general  
feeling of conservative confidence  
makes conditions better than the  
trade statistics indicate.

The financial situation as a whole  
is improved, and the prospects of  
heavy dividend and interest dis-  
bursements due January 1 imparts  
greater brightness to the strictly in-  
vestment market.

Bank Clearings.  
New York, Dec. 31.—The bank  
clearings report for the week end-  
ing December 29, shows an aggre-  
gate of \$2,462,300,000 as against  
\$3,138,129,000 last week, and \$2-  
950,843,000 in the corresponding  
week last year.

Treasury Statement.  
Washington, Dec. 31.—At the  
closing of business today the condi-  
tion of the United States treasury  
was:

Working balance in the treasury  
office, \$23,823,297; in banks and  
Philippine treasury, \$3,113,182. The  
total balance in general fund was  
\$25,936,479.

Ordinary receipts yesterday were  
\$2,119,139, with disbursements of  
\$1,821,305.

The deficit to date this fiscal year  
is \$7,008,015 as against \$26,119-  
025 at this time last year.

These figures exclude Panama can-  
al and public debt transactions.

You Must Read This If You Want  
the Health.

I. W. Greer, Greenwood, La., suf-  
fered with a severe case of lumbago.  
"The pains were so intense I was  
forced to hypodermic injections for  
relief. Those attacks started with a  
pain in the small of my back which  
gradually became fairly paralyzing.  
My attention was attracted to Foley's  
Kidney Remedy and I am glad to say  
after using this wonderful medicine  
I am no longer bothered in any way  
by my old enemy lumbago." Gil-  
bert's drug store.

Play and Jolliness Good Medicine.

In childhood we play because we  
are young; in middle life we are  
young because we play, and if we  
keep it up we shall never know that  
we are old until we are one day sud-  
denly dead. Yet the absurd idea has  
grown up, and Mrs. Grundy has  
adopted it with her usual famous-  
ness, that play is something undig-  
nified in a grown man and unbecom-  
ing in a lady. And this, unfortunately  
is one of the rare instances where  
"thinking makes it so."

After a man has practiced this he-  
lief in the uselessness of exercise for  
half a decade or so, and become fat  
and pompous and red faced, or pale  
and sleek mugged and short wind-  
ed, then the contention that he in-  
dulges in when he decides to unbend  
and try to play furnish considerably  
more entertainment to spectators  
than to himself.—November Outing.

TAKE CARE:

Remember that when your kidneys  
are affected, your life is in danger.  
M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says:  
"My trouble started with a sharp  
shooting pain over my back which  
grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and  
tired, my kidney action was irregu-  
lar and infrequent. I started using  
Foley's Kidney Pills. Each dose  
seemed to put new life and strength  
into me, and now I am completely  
cured and feel better and stronger  
than for years. Gilbert's drug store.

The man who is unable to appre-  
ciate wisdom has none of his own.

## JUDGE CROSS ASKS FOR STENOGRAPHER

THINKS CITY COURT JUSTIFIES  
THE EXPENSE.

Says Crime Has Been Reduced Un-  
der Present Police Admin-  
istration.

HIS ANNUAL REPORT TODAY

Police Judge D. A. Cross wishes  
the city to employ an official court  
stenographer. His annual report fol-  
lows:

To the Honorable Mayor and General  
Council, Paducah, Ky.

Gentlemen.—In submitting for  
your consideration this my annual  
report of conditions and require-  
ments of the judicial department I  
am glad to state that there have been  
fewer serious criminal cases coming  
before the police court for adjudi-  
cation and settlement than at any time  
since my connection with the police  
department, which has been 15  
years. The felony cases that have  
come before the police court for trial  
has fallen off at least one-third; we  
have issued and disposed of 2,000 to  
2,500 warrants of all kinds; there  
has been some 500 warrants issued  
from my office that the parties have  
escaped and are now fugitives from  
justice in foreign jurisdiction, hence,  
those warrants cannot be executed. I  
am free to say that Paducah has a  
smaller criminal class than any city  
of its size in Kentucky.

I am pleased to note that my re-  
commendations of one year ago have  
been complied with and carried into  
effect with the exception of the most  
important. The city furnishes the  
judicial department with a type-  
writer, but requires the judge per-  
sonally to hire a stenographer to take  
the evidence in felony cases on trial  
in the police court and the evidence  
of witnesses in secret investigation  
and examinations that are held be-  
fore him. I recommended to your  
honorable bodies a year ago the em-  
ployment of an official stenographer;  
you are paying the stenographer that  
I have employed \$10 per month to do  
the work for the chief of police; by  
an additional allowance of \$25 per  
month you can secure official court  
stenographer for the Paducah police  
court and the police department. I  
am so thoroughly convinced that a  
city the size of Paducah cannot  
afford to have its police court records  
go on written in long hand that I  
have uniformly since I have held  
the position employed a stenog-  
rapher that they might be up to date  
and in proper condition.

Gentlemen, I do not think this is  
proper and right; the police court  
brings to your city a revenue of seven  
or eight thousand dollars in cash per  
year and the same amount in work  
on your streets and pays the judge a  
salary of \$1,500 per year.

I submit this recommendation for  
your careful consideration and ask  
you for this assistant for the reason  
that I know an official court steno-  
grapher for the Paducah police court is  
badly needed.

D. A. CROSS,  
Judge Paducah Police Court.

No false pretense has marked the  
career of Ely's Cream Balm. Being  
entirely harmless, it is not respon-  
sible like the catarrh snuffs and  
powders, for mounds shattered by eu-  
caine. The great virtue of Ely's  
Cream Balm is that it speedily and  
completely overcomes nasal catarrh  
and hay fever. Back of this state-  
ment is the testimony of thousands  
and a reputation of many years' suc-  
cess. All druggists, 50c, or mailed  
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Glass That Will Not Break.  
Baccarat, France, has the honor  
of producing the first glass that is  
unbreakable. The new process has  
been successfully applied to the man-  
ufacture of lamp chimneys for use  
in coal mines containing much fire  
damp. The glass makers of Baccarat  
have also succeeded in increas-  
ing the elasticity of the glass. This  
they accomplish by adding magnesia  
and oxide to the ordinary crystal  
glass.—Success Magazine.

But it doesn't take long to lame a  
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LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CROCHET SLIPPERS

MEN'S HUNTING BOOTS

At Rudy's

A Facile Editor.  
Some facility in trimming sails to  
the passing breeze was very useful  
to the newspapers of a hundred  
years ago. This is how one of the  
Paris papers announced the arrival  
and advance of Napoleon after his  
escape from Elba: "The Corsican  
brigand has landed at Cannes;" next  
day, "the rash usurper has been re-  
ceived at Grenoble." Then the tone  
changed: "Gen. Bonaparte has enter-  
ed Lyons;" a few days after, "Na-  
poleon is at Fontenbleau;" and finally, "His majesty, the emperor,  
alighted this evening at his palace of  
the Tuilleries." C. F. Warwick re-  
calls the incident in "Napoleon and  
the End of the French Revolution."

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We also have several second hand cars and rebuilt ones for  
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ana, Mississippi and Ten-  
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Rate one and one-third  
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# BIG SALES AND NO PROFITS

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We're bringing them down stairs now—loads and loads of fine new suits and overcoats not shown before for lack of room. The first displays were snapped up in a twinkling, but there are literally tens of thousands of dollars worth left here for your choosing. If you don't see them, it's YOUR loss.

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Would retail at \$6.00 to \$7.50; wholesale closing out price...\$1.75  
Splendid Cassimere and Worsted Suits, to retail at \$7.50 to \$10.00; wholesale closing out price...\$2.24, \$2.76 and \$2.98  
A fine display of Stylish Suits that would retail for \$12.50 to \$15.00, at wholesale closing out price...\$3.48, \$3.93 and \$4.98  
Strictly All-Wool Worsted Suits, actually retail at \$16.50, \$18.00 and \$20.00; wholesale closing out price...\$5.98, \$6.85 and \$7.93  
High Grade Suitings—splendid Worsted, Cassimeres, Cheviots and Tibets, retail selling prices \$22.50 and \$25.00; whole sale closing out price...\$8.49, \$9.24, \$9.65  
All our highest grade Suitings, comprising the best of imported and domestic wools; all hand-tailored and made in the latest fashion any price; made to retail at \$27.50, \$30.00 and \$35.00; wholesale closing out price...\$11.48

### SAMPLE SUITS

One lot of Men's Sample Suits.

slightly damaged and soiled, would retail up to \$25.00; wholesale closing out price...\$2.75 to \$5.50

One lot Children's Sample Suits, slightly damaged and soiled, would retail up to \$5.00; wholesale closing out price...19c to 98c

## MEN'S, YOUNG MEN'S AND BOYS' OVERCOATS.

One lot of Children's and Boys' Sample Overcoats, slightly soiled, would ordinarily retail at \$3.50 to \$5.00; wholesale closing out price...50c, 75c and 89c  
Men's and Young Men's Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats that would retail at \$6.50 to \$7.50; wholesale closing out price...\$2.24 and \$2.48  
Men's, Young Men's and Boys' Overcoats, with automobile collars, would retail at \$7.50 to \$10.00; wholesale closing out price...\$1.98, \$2.76, \$3.49

Kersey and Cheviot Overcoats, would retail at \$12.50; wholesale closing out price...\$4.49 and \$4.98  
Men's and Young Men's Cheviots, Cassimeres and Kerseys, plain and automobile collars, would retail at

\$15.00; whole sale closing out price...\$5.49

Men's and Young Men's High Grade Cassimeres and Cheviots, medium and semi-medium lengths, retail price \$18. and \$20.00; whole sale closing out price...\$6.98, \$7.49

Plain Automobile Collar and Presto Collar, would retail for \$22.50 to \$35.00; whole sale closing out price...\$8.49 to \$11.48

Several hundred Children's Overcoats, in Cassimeres and Cheviots, would retail as high as \$10.00; whole sale closing out price...\$1.49 to \$2.98

One lot Men's Sample Overcoats, slightly damaged and soiled, would retail up to \$25.00; whole sale closing out price...\$2.98 to \$6.98

### GRAVENETTE COATS

Men's and Young Men's Rain Proofed Cravenette Coats, retail price \$8.50; whole

sale closing out price...\$2.79

Men's Black Cheviot Rain Coats retail price \$10.00; whole sale closing out price...\$4.49

Cravenette Coats for men, rain

proofed, retail price \$12.50; whole sale closing out price...\$4.98

Priestly Proofed Cravenettes for Men and Young Men, would retail at \$15, \$18 and \$20; whole sale closing out price...\$6.48 and \$6.98

Cravenette Coats, Priestly Proofed Coats, retail prices \$25.00 to \$35.00; whole sale closing out price...\$7.48 up

## MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S PANTS

One lot Cassimere and Worsted, would retail at \$1.00 to \$1.50; whole sale closing out price...49c  
Men's and Young Men's Pants, in Fancy Cassimeres and Worsteds, made to retail from \$1.50 to \$2.50; whole sale closing out price...55c, 98c and \$1.24

Men's Pants, in fancy patterns made to retail at \$2.50 to \$3.50; whole sale closing out price...79c to \$1.76

Men's Pants, that would retail at \$3.50 and \$6.00; whole sale closing out price...\$1.24 to \$2.49

Men's Pants, retail prices \$6.50 to \$7.50; whole sale closing out price...\$2.75 to \$2.98

Men's Corduroy Pants, retail price \$1.50; whole sale closing out price...49c

Men's Corduroy Pants, retail price \$2.00 to \$3.00; whole sale closing out price...98c to \$1.49

Men's Corduroy Pants, retail price \$3.50 to \$4.00; whole sale closing out price...\$1.79 to \$1.98

### KNEE PANTS

Knee Pants, slightly soiled, 25c to 50c values; whole sale closing out price...1c, 2c, 5c

Knee Pants, retail price 50c; whole sale closing out price...12c and 19c

Knee Pants, retail price 75c and \$1.00; whole sale closing out price...38c and 49c

Knee Pants, retail price \$1.00 to \$1.50; whole sale closing out price...65c to 79c

### VESTS

Men's Vests, Wool Cassimeres, Serges and Worsteds, worth up to \$3.00; whole sale closing out price...10c, 19c and 24c

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## AT THE CHURCHES

**Christian Science.**  
Christian Science services are held at the hall in the Three Links building, corner Fifth street and Kentucky avenue, as follows: Sunday school from 9:15 to 10:45; regular Sunday service, 11 o'clock; testimony meeting, every Wednesday evening at 7:30. A reading room is also open in this hall from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. every day except Sunday and holidays. The public is cordially invited to visit the reading room and to attend the services.

**Methodist.**  
BROADWAY—The Rev. G. T. Sullivan, pastor. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Subject of sermon by pastor at 10:15 a. m., "God in the Opening Year." Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Preaching by pastor at 7:30 p. m. Subject of evening sermon, "The Serious and Religious Side of Life." Special music by choir. Public cordially invited.

**FOUNTAIN AVENUE**—The Rev. Paul H. Jefferson, pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Communion service at 11 a. m. and pastor will be assisted by the Rev. Mr. Sears, of Tyler. Preaching this the pastor will receive a class into the church.

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Preaching by pastor at 7:30 p. m. Subject of sermon, "Eldorado, the Warrior." 11 Samuel, 23-10. Congregational singing led by orchestra and choir is a feature of preliminary service. A cordial welcome awaits all who worship with us.

**GUTHRIE AVENUE**—The Rev. E. E. Peters, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

**THIRD STREET**—The Rev. J. P. Pearson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. No morning service. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by pastor. **LITTLE'S CHAPEL**—Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m.

**German.**  
**UNITY EVANGELICAL**—The Rev. H. W. Wiesbeck, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. German morning worship, 10:45 a. m. English evening service, 7:30 p. m. Subject of evening sermon, "The Two-fold Hook at the Beginning of a New Year."  
**LUTHERAN**—The Rev. William Grother, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German service at 10:30 a. m. English service at 7:30 p. m. Subject of evening sermon, "The Lord—Our Keeper." Special music in observance of New Year.

**Baptist.**  
**FIRST**—The Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor. Sunday school, 9:20 a. m. Preaching by pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Ships of Life." Evening subject, "Sin Blotted Out."  
**SECOND**—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the Rev. H. W. Ellis. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by the Rev. F. E. Adams.

**NORTH TWELFTH STREET**—The Rev. J. H. Clark, pastor. Sunday school 9:20 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school in Howlandtown at 2:30 p. m. Morning subject, "A Happy New Year."

**Catholic.**  
**ST. FRANCIS DE SALES**—The Rev. Father H. A. Connolly, pastor. Morning masses, 8 and 10:30 a. m. Grand Rally of Holy Name society at 3 p. m. No night service.

**Presbyterian.**  
**KENTUCKY AVENUE**—The Rev. E. H. Landis, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and reorganization of school and annual election of officers. Preaching by the pastor at

10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "A New Year's Message."

**FIRST**—The Rev. H. W. Barwell, pastor. Morning service at 10:45 o'clock. Subject, "Looking Out Into the New Year." Evening service at 7:30 o'clock and subject, "A Life Directed by Divine Wisdom." Men's Bible class and Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock with book of Joshua for the topic of study.

**Christian.**  
**FIRST**—The Rev. W. A. Fite, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. At 10:45 a. m. reports of the church treasurer, the Ladies' Furnishing society, the Sunday school, church clerk and pastor will be read and there will be a burning of the notes that have recently been paid off. The pastor will make a short talk on the subject of "Ideals for the New Year." The services will be no longer than the usual services. There will be no evening service owing to the condition of the Rev. Mr. Fite, who has just recovered from an illness of the grip.

**TENTH STREET**—The Rev. G. D. Wyatt, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Old and the New." Evening subject, "Consider the End." The church officers will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the office of J. K. Bondurant, 524 Broadway.

**Rev. C. L. Gregston called.**  
A call has been extended the Rev. Charles L. Gregston, of Dawson Springs, Ky., by the congregation of the Second Baptist church, and it is the general belief that he will accept. No answer has been received from the Rev. Mr. Gregston. The church has been without a pastor for the past several weeks since the resignation of the Rev. G. B. Smalley.

**Episcopal.**  
**GOOD SHEPHERD HOUSE** (Arcadia)—The Rev. E. C. McAllister, pastor. Sunday school at 2:31 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m.

**Church Notes.**  
The Home Mission society of the Fountain Avenue Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. George Bartholomew, 1221 Jefferson street.  
The Paducah Restaurant Pastors' association will meet at 10 o'clock next Tuesday morning at the Broadway Methodist church. In regular

session and the first session of the new year.

The Dodd society of the First Baptist church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist headquarters.

The Wallace Park Athletic club will meet Monday, Tuesday and Thursday nights at 8:00 P. M. at the club house, Arcadia.

The Men's Bible class of the Broad way Methodist church will hold its first anniversary at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Speeches will be made and it will be an interesting occasion. The public is invited to attend.

The Ramsey society of the Broadway Methodist church will meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

**Delightful Christmas Entertainment.**  
One of the most delightful Christmas entertainments was given by the Stallings class of Sunday school at the home of Mrs. Felix Fox, at Altona. The most interesting feature of the evening was the Santa Claus. The tree was beautifully decorated with tinsel ornaments and candles. The recitations given by the pupils of the school were appropriate for the occasion. The closing address was by the Rev. P. H. Wise, of Altona. Names of the pupils taking part in the recitations were: Paul Jones, Miss Nettie Williams, Mamie Story, Beatrice Fox, Paul Stice, Cottle Fox, Willie Stallings, Esther Williams, Louise Hutchison, Bertha Fox, Ruby Bebout, Hazel Cloud, Bernice Dupont, Beanie Haldon, Ray Jourdan, Bonnie Stallings, Carrie Fox, Phil Williams, Texie Hutchison, May Stallings, Elmer Stallings, Florence Dugly, Mary Cloud, Goldie Camel, Mrs. Texie Stice, Mrs. J. M. Stallings.

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## WHITE PLAGUE

### CLAIMS VICTIM IN DEATH OF MRS. AGNES WITHERS.

Mrs. Clementine Martin, of 1800 South Seventh Street, dies of Bright's Disease.

Mrs. Agnes Wither, 42 years old, died at 3:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon at her home, 322 Jarrett street, Mechanicsburg, after a long illness of tuberculosis. She was born in Tennessee and came to Paducah about 15 years ago. She was a member of the East Baptist church and leaves a wide circle of friends. She is survived by her husband, Mr. J. T. Wither, an adopted son, Charles, and one daughter, J. M. Nellie, of 1094 South Twelfth street. The funeral was held at the residence, the Rev. J. P. Riley, officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

**Body of W. Lee Rose.**  
The body of W. Lee Rose arrived from Memphis early this morning and was taken to the residence, 1115 Monroe street, where the funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the Rev. G. T. Sullivan, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove cemetery.

**J. L. Cochran.**  
J. L. Cochran, 65 years old, a laborer residing at 414 Norton street, died at 2 o'clock this morning after a short illness of pneumonia. He was a widower and leaves several children. The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the Third Street Methodist church the Rev. J. H. Pearson, the pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

**Ors Thompson.**  
Ors, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, residing near Massena, Ky., died at 9 o'clock last night of pneumonia. The funeral was held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and burial was in the New Hope cemetery.

**Mrs. Clementine Martin.**  
Mrs. Clementine Martin, wife of Andrew J. Martin, 1800 South Seventh street, died at 5 o'clock this morning of Bright's disease. She was 37 years old and was born in Graves county. She was a member of the

## 73 INDICTMENTS

### FORTY CHARGES UNWITTED AND UNINDICTED CONFESS.

### Judge Blair Declares Investigation Will Continue for Several Months More.

West Union, O., Dec. 31.—A dozen men, when Judge Blair opened court tramped into the court room and, without the least evidence of shame, confessed that they had sold their votes for trifling sums.  
Seventy-three true bills, the smallest day's work for a long while, were reported by the grand jury, bringing the total indictments up to 1,017. Of this number 377 have already pleaded guilty.  
Forty men, unwitted and like us yet unindicted, have come to the court house to enter guilty pleas, not knowing whether or not the grand jury had reported their names and not wishing to take any chance at appearing to be in the least dilatory.

Judge Blair said that the investigation is going to continue, and that it may be two or three months before it is concluded.

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